

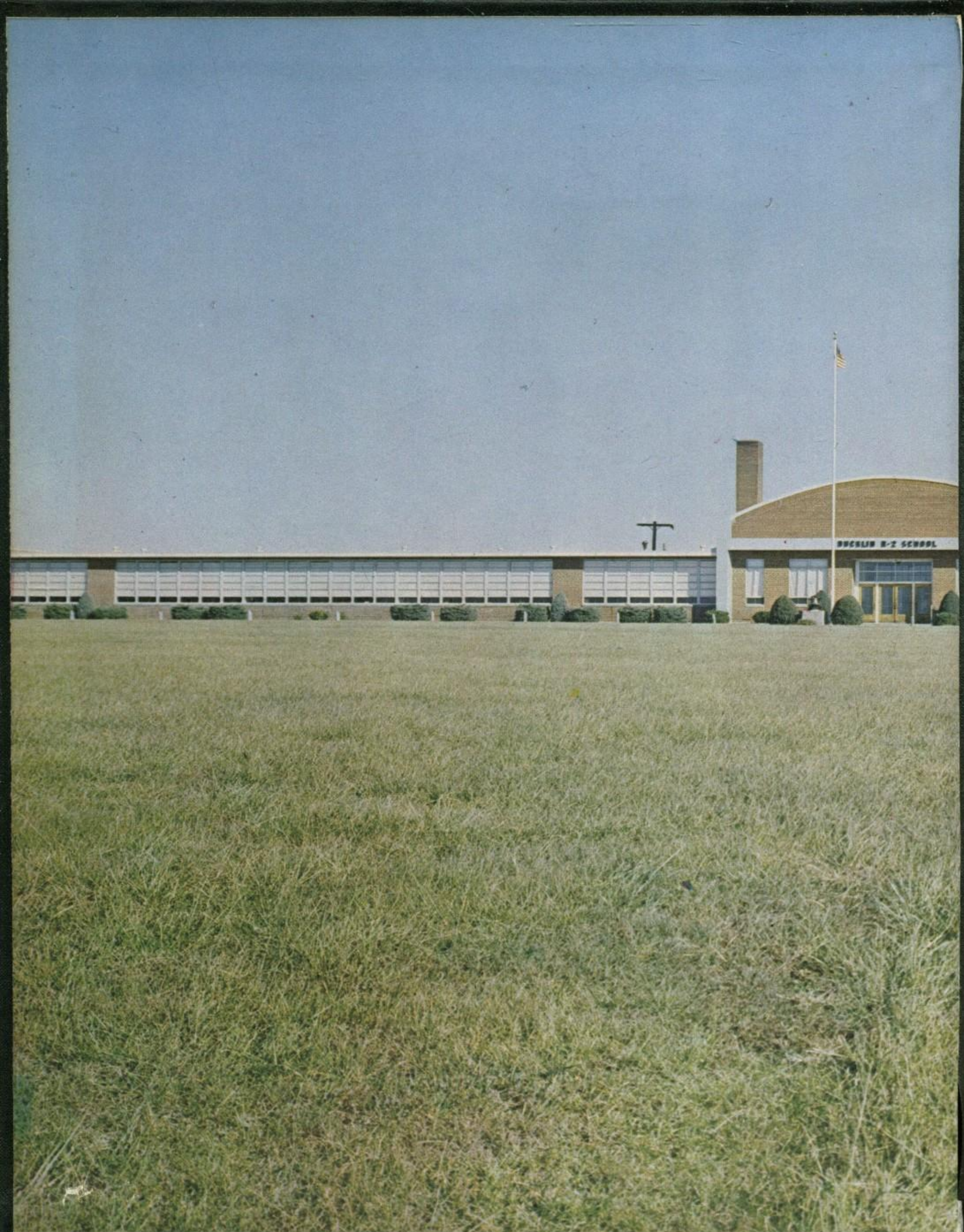
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SENIOR RECO STUDENTS: Mary Jo Dean, Karen Jackson, Pat Carter, Barbara Neff, Terry Finney, Herman Almond, Diana Burnett, and Jan Carter. Pam Hughes is not pictured.

# Life at Bucklin R-II

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# Managers of Our Local School District

## The Board of Education

The six voter selected school board members and the superintendent of schools work steadily and constantly toward the betterment of our school. Many long hours of tireless effort are put forth by these men so the school children of our district may have an opportunity for a fine education.

Each year the board of education makes improvements which help to build a better school system. This has been an outstanding year in the securing of new teaching equipment and furniture.

The school district is under the control of a local board of education. Their job is not to run the schools, but to see that they are properly

run. Their authority comes from the state legislature. The district's affairs are the responsibility of the board of education.

A few of the duties of a school board are educating the children, maintaining and operating the school building, securing proper transportation facilities, employing certified teachers and other adequate staff, approving methods and content of instruction, planning the financial aspects and management, and reporting to state education departments.

The Bucklin R-2 School Board deserves much credit for a job well done.

BOARD     John Watson, vice-president; Jerry Main, secretary; Dale Behrman, president; Ben Burnett, MEMBER     member; Keith Moorshead, member; Roscoe Baugher, treasurer; John Kelso, superintendent.







IF YOU'RE talking about hard workers -- that's Mr. Dowell, our custodian, and Mr. Fessler, our principal.



BASKETBALL SEASON is a popular time in our school for both the students and the alumni.



SENIORS -- can't you take pity on these poor freshman boys who are on their hands and knees?

Today's young people are caught up in a continuous whirlwind of activities. These range from the creative to the colorful.

Everyday occurrences include chatting with friends in the hall, term papers to write, exams that cause gray hair, hurrying to the bus before it leaves, reading gossip in the Tel-it-al, and dashing from class to class before the tardy bell catches you in the hall.

And then, from time to time, we have special activities such as the class plays, sports events, parties, and concerts.

We are always confronted with new trends of thought and action. Knowledge gained here will go with each student into his future life.

HOMECOMING CEREMONIES found the band playing the fanfare and appropriate numbers.

UNLESS there is a volleyball in the air, how do you explain the positions of Herman Almond and Carl Walker?



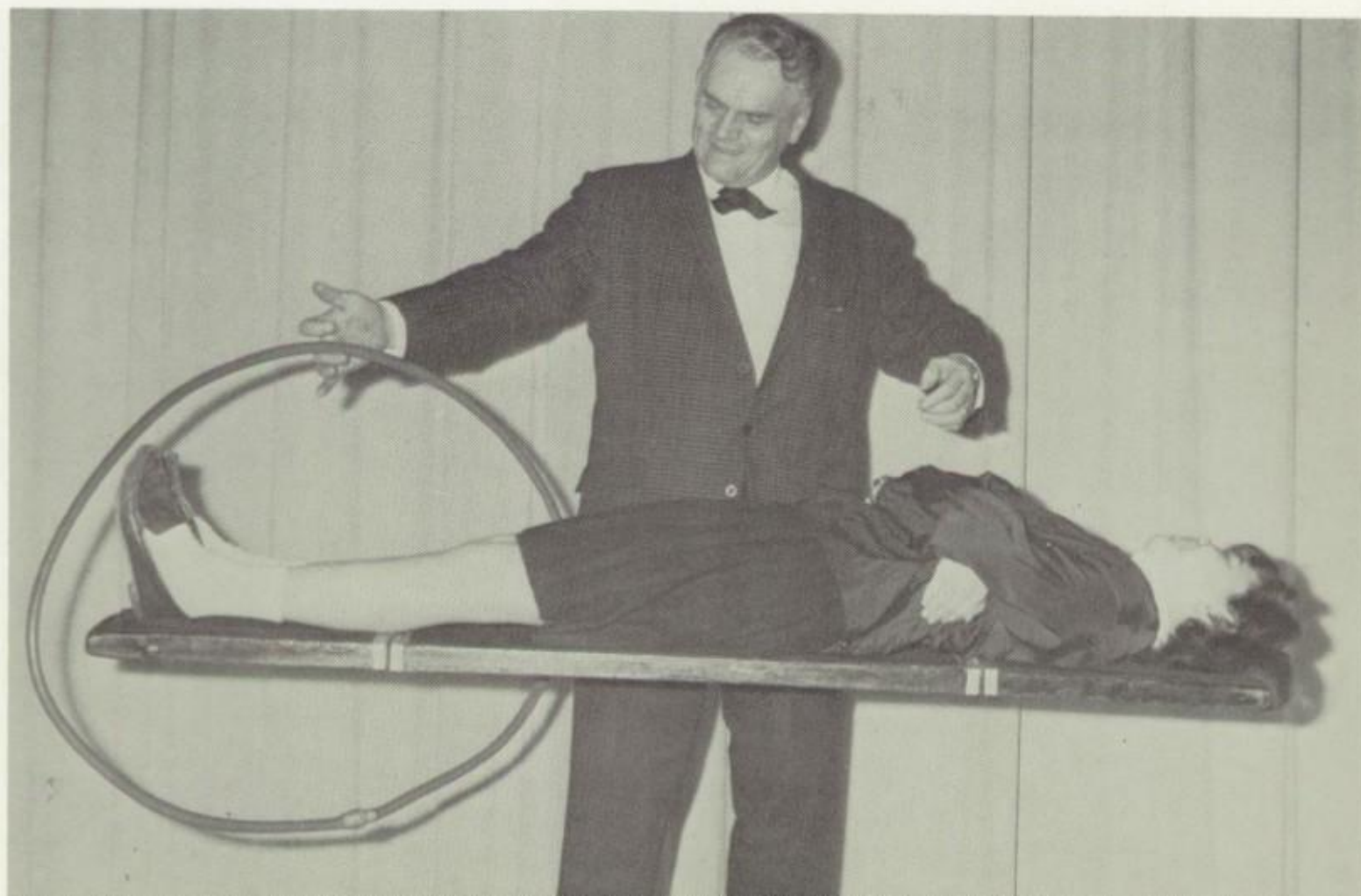




WEARING THEIR NEW UNIFORMS for the very first time, band members strut during the Bucklin Homecoming.

## Life at Bucklin R-II

AFTER JoAnn Divelbess is hypnotized by the magician, the assembly audience squeals with excitement and laughter as she is suspended in midair.







# Life at Bucklin R-II

## Excelling Academically

### Our Honor Roll

GIRLS' AND BOYS' STATE REPRESENTATIVES  
 LEGION AUXILIARY--JACKIE CURRY AND DONNA BURNETT  
 CIVIC CLUB--BETTY ANDERSON  
 AMERICAN LEGION--GARY HOLMLUND AND GARY DAVOLT



Diana Burnett  
Senior



Jan Carter  
Senior



Pat Carter  
Senior



Jannice Cash  
Senior



Mary Jo Dean  
Senior



Pam Hughes  
Senior

DAUGHTER OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION AWARD  
 DIANA BURNETT







Barbara Neff  
Senior



Betty Anderson  
Junior



Donna Burnett  
Junior



Jackie Curry  
Junior



Betty Jo Gall  
Junior



Gary Holmlund  
Junior



Kent Nickerson  
Junior



Pam Watson  
Junior



Rickie Greer  
Sophomore



Joan Kitchen  
Sophomore



Charlotte Lane  
Sophomore



Elsie Davolt  
Freshman

BETTY CROCKER AWARD  
BARBARA NEFF



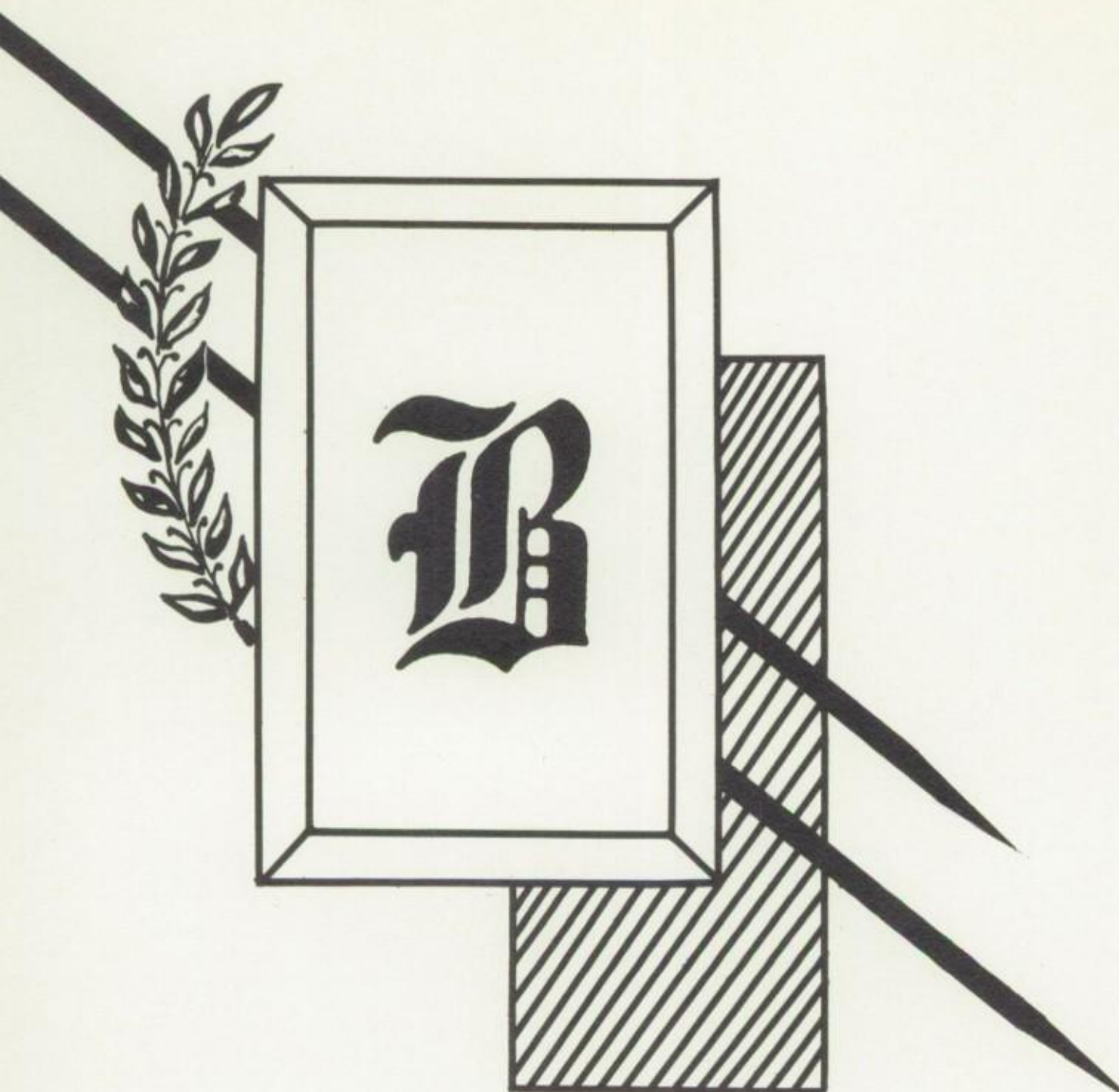
"I DARE YOU" AWARD  
DIANA BURNETT AND TERRY FINNEY











# Administration





JOHN L. KELSO

B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
M.A. Missouri State Teachers College



MR. KELSO TAKES advantage of his spare moments away from his school responsibilities to relax and enjoy a good book.

## Our Superintendent

PREPARING VOUCHERS to present the financial report at the monthly board meeting is a job that requires Mr. Kelso's careful and accurate attention.







TAKING CARE of home accounts and keeping them recorded is time consuming, but Mr. Fessler stops from his transactions to pose for a picture.



ROBERT FESSLER

B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
M.A. Missouri State Teachers College  
Business Education

## Our Principal

EACH MORNING, before the bell rings, we find Mr. Fessler in his office processing excuses and keeping the attendance records up-to-date.







JACK ANDERSON

Missouri State Teachers College  
B.S. in Science  
General Math, Algebra  
Trigonometry, Chemistry  
Senior Co-sponsor



CRAIG BULLIS

Missouri State Teachers College  
B.S. in Education  
Instrumental and Vocal Music  
Senior Co-sponsor

## Secondary Instructors

JUST BEFORE Mr. Anderson's daughter carried the roses for the Valentine sweetheart, we took her picture for our yearbook.



IT IS BELIEVED that giving private lessons will develop in our young students an early appreciation of music.







IVA CANNON

A.B. Central College, Fayette, Missouri  
Graduate Work at Kirksville  
Art, Civics, Librarian  
Junior Co-sponsor



WARREN WEATHERINGTON

Centerville, Iowa, Community College  
Associate of Arts Degree  
Missouri State Teachers College  
B.S. in Education  
General Science, Biology  
World and American History  
Junior Co-sponsor

## Secondary Instructors

USING HER CREATIVE TALENTS in a different way, Miss Cannon stirs up a new bread recipe for the enjoyment of her guests.



FARMING IS as enjoyable an occupation to Mr. Weatherington as teaching. Here he gets ready for a hard day's work on his farm.







ELIZABETH KELSO

A.A. Stephens College  
B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
English, Reco Advisor  
Sophomore Co-sponsor



MARY TURNER

B.S. Loma Linda University  
Loma Linda, California  
Vocational Home Economics - K.S.T.C., Kirksville  
German N.D.E.A. Overseas Institute  
Southern Illinois University  
Carbondale, Illinois  
Sophomore Co-sponsor

## Secondary Instructors

TALKING ABOUT mountains of popcorn, that's exactly what it takes to satisfy the appetites of the Kelso family as they watch television.



AS SHE ARRANGES a colorful display of new fashions and fabrics, Mrs. Turner hopes her sewing students will be inspired and challenged.







JERRY MATLICK

Kirksville State Teachers College  
B.S. Degree in Education  
Health, Athletic Coach  
Freshman Co-sponsor



BILLY MEEKS

B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
M.A. Missouri State Teachers College  
Industrial Arts, Drivers' Training  
Freshman Co-sponsor

## Secondary Instructors

THE CAMERAMAN doesn't affect Vincent Matlick the least little bit as he sits with his parents and his sister, Michelle.



MR. MEEKS HOPES that his travel alarm clock has a loud enough ring so he can get to school on time each morning.







MARTHA NEFF

B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
Eighth Grade



LELIA BROWN

B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
Seventh Grade

## Elementary Instructors

A QUIET EVENING at home is exactly what Mr. and Mrs. Neff wish for so that they can pursue their favorite hobby of reading.



WITH THE ACCUMULATION of many books, Mrs. Brown has built up a very fine library in her home.







IRIS MEEKS

B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
M.A. Missouri State Teachers College  
Sixth Grade



CHARLENE FRAZIER

B.S. Southwest Missouri State College  
Master's Degree--S.M.S.--  
and Missouri University  
Fifth Grade

## Elementary Instructors

ALTHOUGH MRS. MEEKS knows that it won't make her very popular with her students, she types out a test for them anyway.



LOOKING OVER her glassware collection, Mrs. Frazier inspects a favorite antique and marvels at its years of service.







ESTHER TURNER

B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
Fourth Grade



EDITH LEWIS

B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
M.A. Missouri State Teachers College  
Third Grade, Elementary Principal

## Elementary Instructors

IN HER LIMITED TIME, Mrs. Turner tries a new cookie recipe, and she hopes to get Randall's approval.



AS MRS. LEWIS prepared to turn on her TV set, Roland unexpectedly snapped her picture.







MYRTLE STILL

B.S. Central Missouri State College  
M.A. Missouri State Teachers College  
Second Grade



RUTH CHAFFEE

B.S. Missouri State Teachers College  
First Grade

## Elementary Instructors

MRS. STILL CONSIDERS learning to play the piano a real challenge. She is attempting to perfect one of her favorite pieces.



MRS. CHAFFEE HOPES Destry is good at keeping neighborhood secrets, because he seems to be "all ears" when the telephone rings.







PEGGY BILLINGSLEY

Southwest Missouri State  
Springfield, Missouri  
B.S. in Education  
Remedial Reading



CAROLYN WALKER

Secretary

## Remedial Reading Teacher

AFTER COOKING supper for her family of six, Mrs. Billingsley remains cheerful as she sets the table.



## Our Secretary

EVEN THOUGH it isn't one of her most pleasant chores, Carolyn finds that dishes just have to be washed.





# Our Teachers' Aides



MARILYN DOWELL



ELAINE CORDRAY



JESSIE SAPPINGTON

An asset to any school system is a program whereby deserving students may receive individualized attention in a remedial class. This extra assistance is provided by Mrs. Peggy Billingsley and her teacher aides. Their time is devoted to working with a small group, enabling them to observe the students as individuals and treat them accordingly.

In our school we have about fifty students who are participating in this program and receiving help with their reading abilities. Each of these students gets several minutes of individual instruction each day that would not be possible in the regular classrooms because of the limited time available to the teachers.

The remedial reading teacher and her aides work under the Elementary-Secondary Education Act sponsored by the Federal Government through the Public Law 89-10 Title I Program.



MRS. DOWELL COLLECTS lunch money from these 6th graders and welcomes each one with a hearty smile.

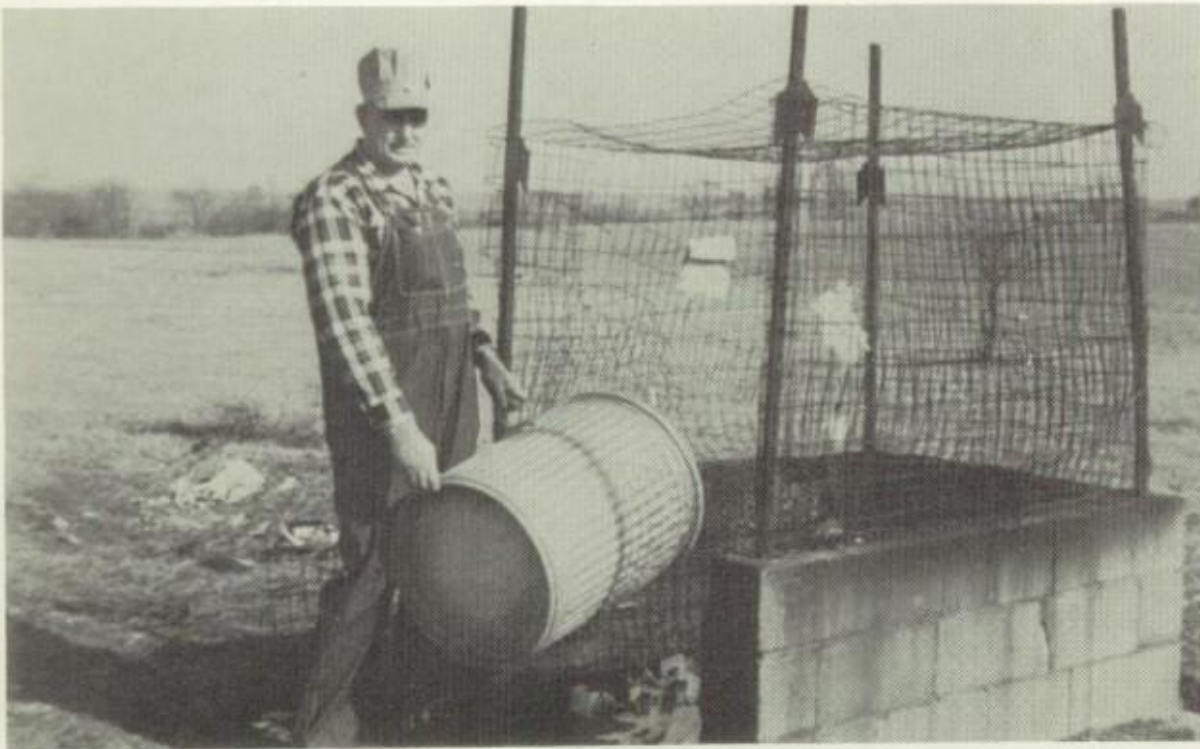
ALWAYS READY to locate and then check out a book for an eager reader is Mrs. Cordray.



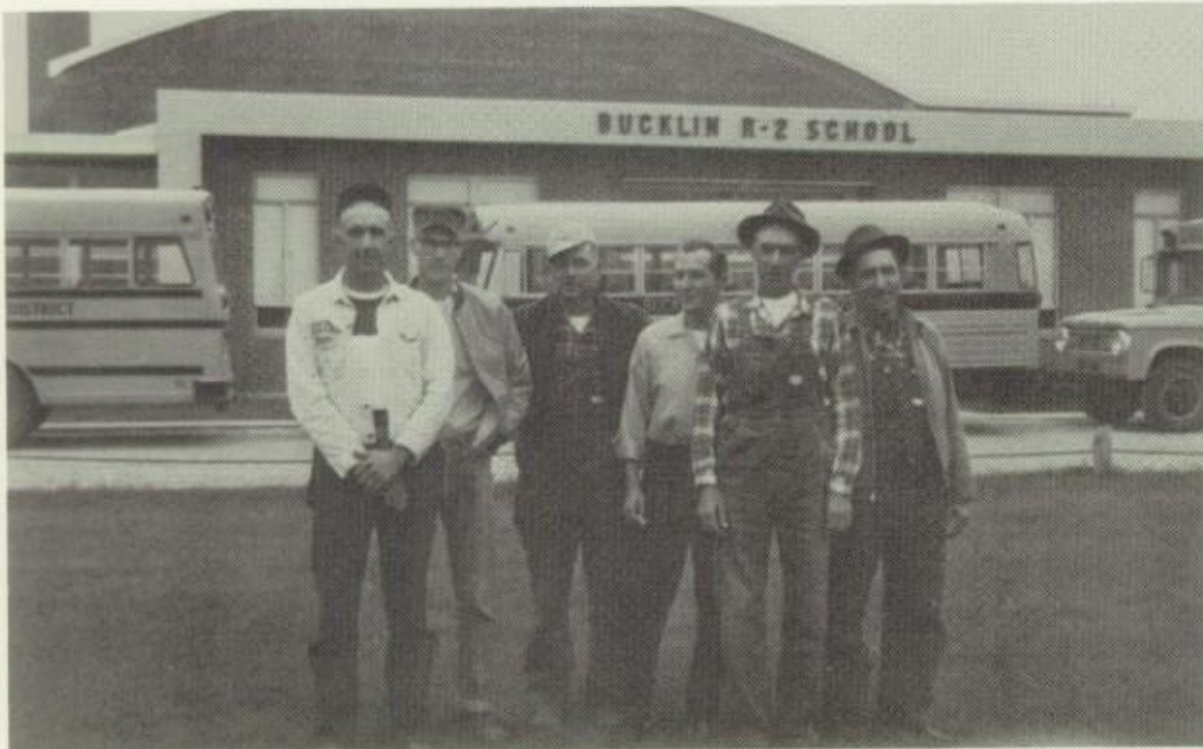
DOING FANCYWORK is a hobby of Mrs. Sappington's, but she finds little time to pursue this pleasure.







THERE IS SUCH a variety in Mr. Dowell's work that, if he becomes tired of one job, all he has to do is hurry to complete it and go on to the fifty others waiting for his attention.

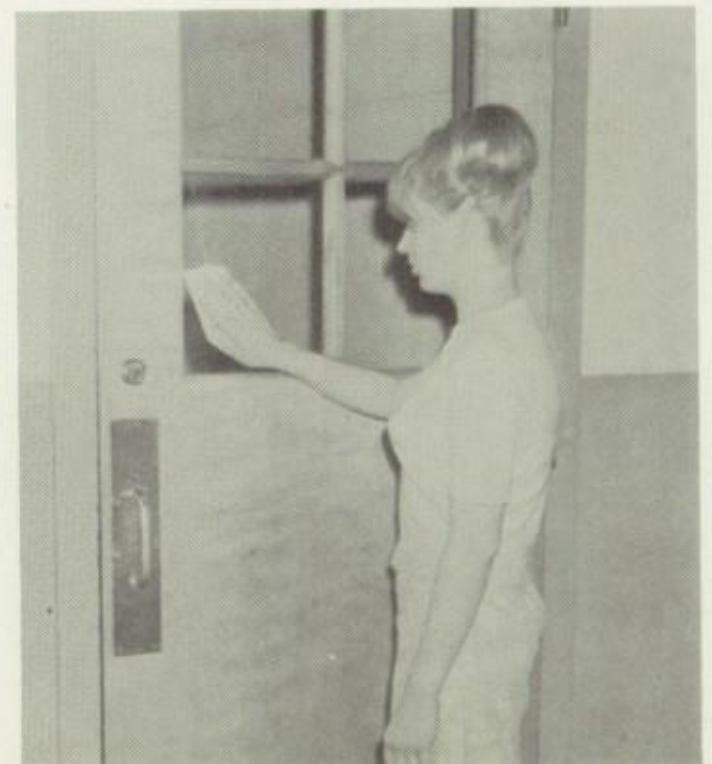


# Our Existence at Bucklin R-II Depends on Many Custodian Bus Drivers Cooks

BUS DRIVERS: Martin Holloway, Eugene Liebhart, Robert King, Stanley Jackson, Russell Liebhart, Albert Molloy.



THE NEIGHBORHOOD YOUTH CORP is a government program to encourage and help students earn money by working after school hours at odd jobs. Carl Walker, Danny Thompson, and Jannice Cash take advantage of this program.







DONNY MORSE and LONNIE McCARTY are ready to eat, but the photographer has other ideas.



ALONG with the COOKS, we have to have a chief bottle-washer. Mrs. Hill holds this distinction.

Where would a school be without food? And where would food be without someone to cook it? That's where Effie, Goldie, and Mabel come in. They prepare one hot meal a day, five days a week.

Planning menus to suit the individual tastes of each person is no easy task. But our dieticians prepare meals that seem to agree with everyone's taste buds, and as a result, parents can be assured that their children are receiving well-balanced nutritious meals.

The janitor plays an important part in keeping the school running smoothly. He is the behind-the-scene "fixer upper" and is always ready and willing to help out in any way. His duties range all the way from fixing chairs to mowing the school lawn.

The men who transport the students back and forth to school each day are the alert and able bus drivers. Their responsibilities are enormous as they are concerned with the safety and well-being of 325 students.

GOLDIE MARCUSSEN



EFFIE WILSON



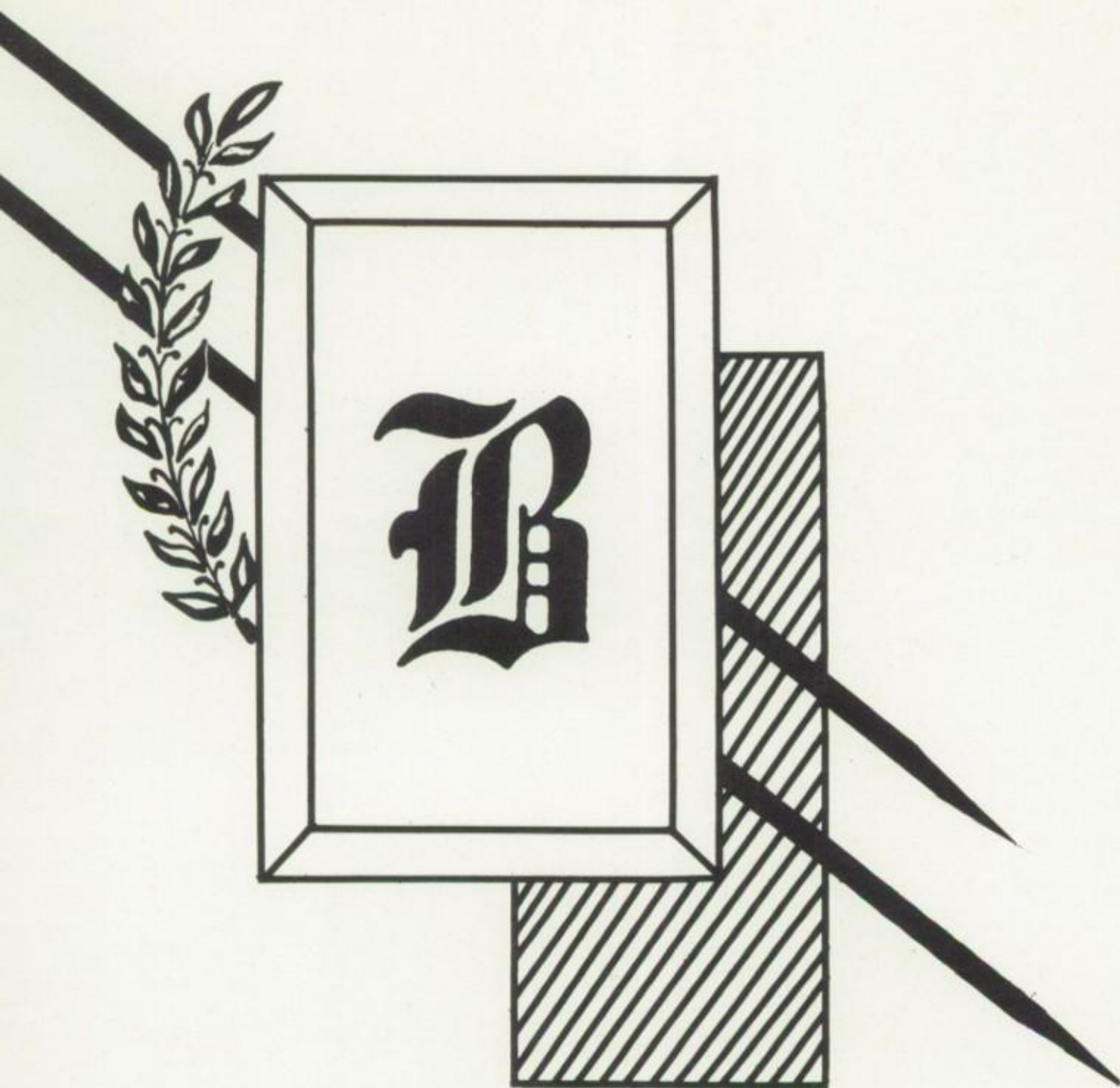
MABEL JOHNSON





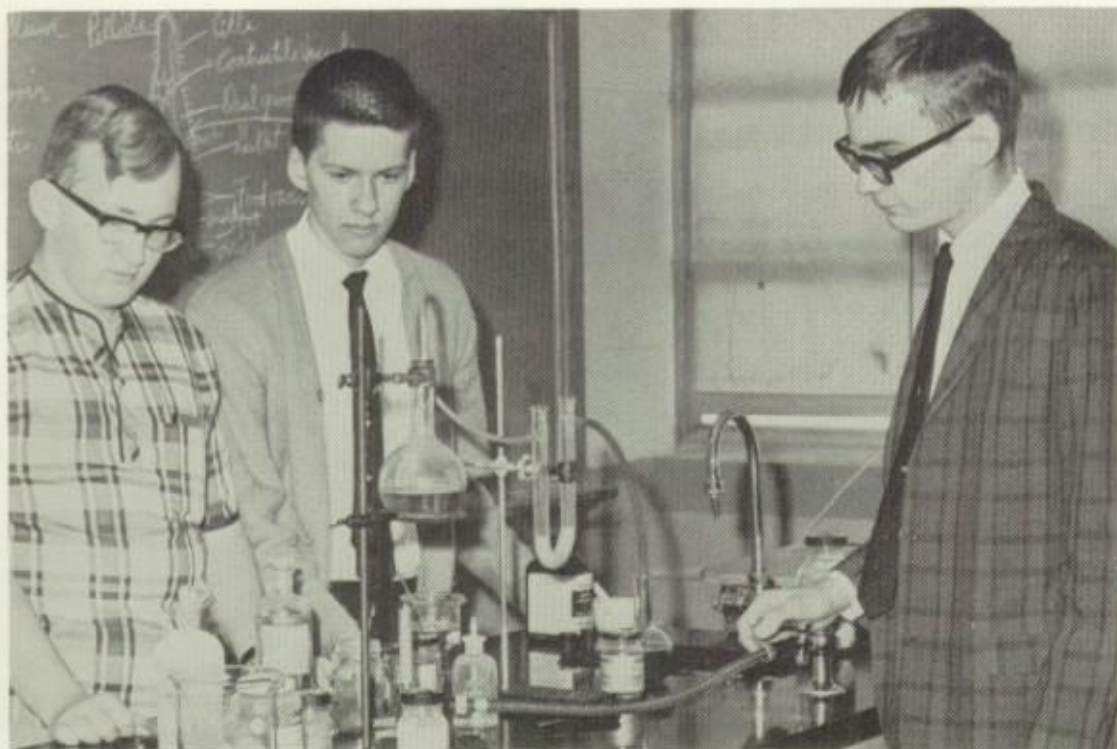






Learning





STUDYING CHEMICAL SCIENCES requires that the students perform a lot of experiments in the laboratory.

Bucklin R-2's curriculum features a nice selection of science courses. We offer general science, biology, and chemistry this year. On an alternating basis we have advanced science and physics. This is a larger variety offered in comparison with many schools of our size. One unit of study is required for graduation.

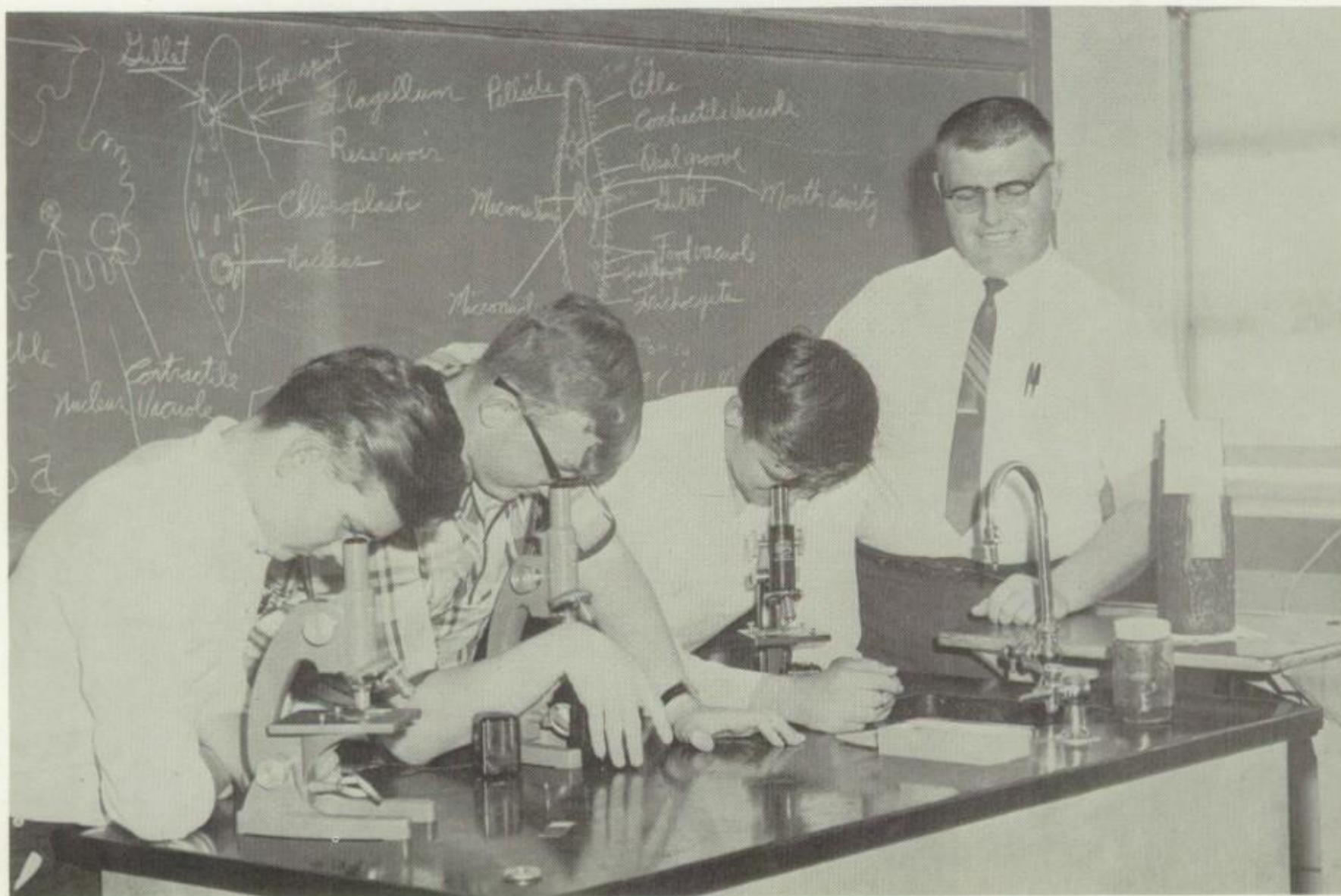
Mr. Weatherington and Mr. Anderson were each in charge of some science classes this year. They took advantage of many methods of teaching. Visual aids were used extensively. Of course, we had the routine textbook and workbook assignments, but in addition to this, there were interesting demonstrations and experiments.

There is an old proverb that says "a person learns by doing." This is very applicable to our science classes as each student has the opportunity to use the microscopes to "see for himself," and to use the other scientific equipment that our school has made available to him.

## Facts Held Together by Rules or Principles

### Science

BIOLOGY STUDENTS find that it is amazing how many tiny living things can be observed when microscopes are used to magnify these minute beings.

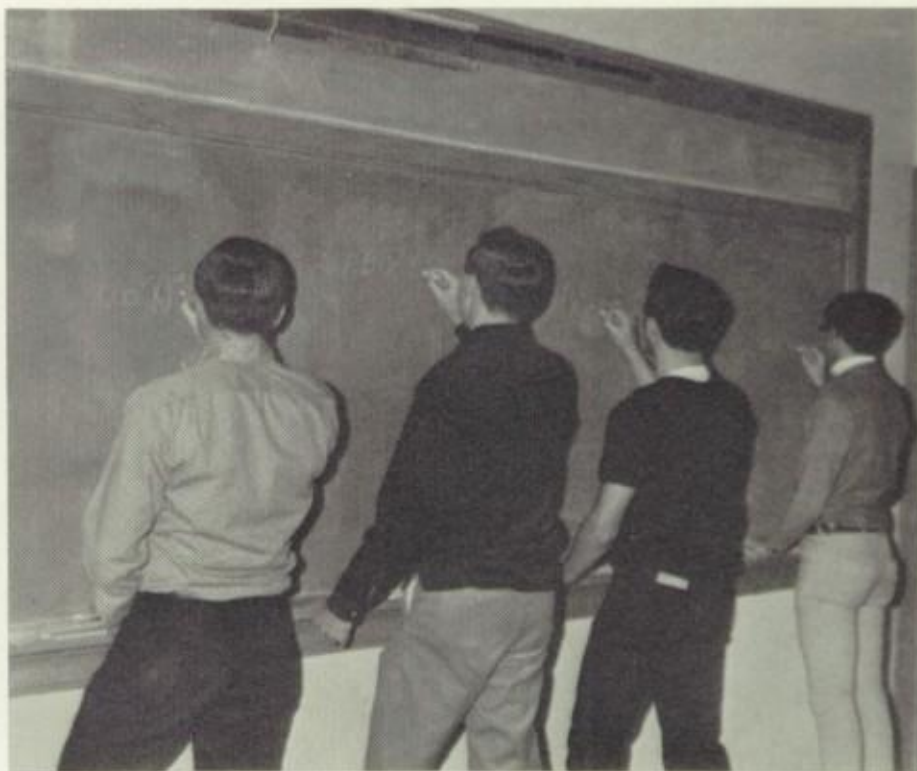




Today's generation of students realize the tremendous importance of a thorough knowledge of mathematics. Some students enjoy these studies immensely, while others are a trifle reluctant to do their work. Both groups, however, know that without this knowledge, their education would suffer severely. In the computerized world in which we are living, we really have to learn our basic studies precisely and thoroughly.

This year, Mr. Anderson taught General Math, Algebra I and II, and Trigonometry. Geometry is offered alternately with Trigonometry. Only one unit of math is required for high school graduation, but it is strongly recommended for each student to take more.

Some high school courses are completely new fields of study, but mathematics is begun in the first grade. As we gain some additional understanding each year, we find that it becomes quite fascinating when we finally make our way to the more advanced classes.

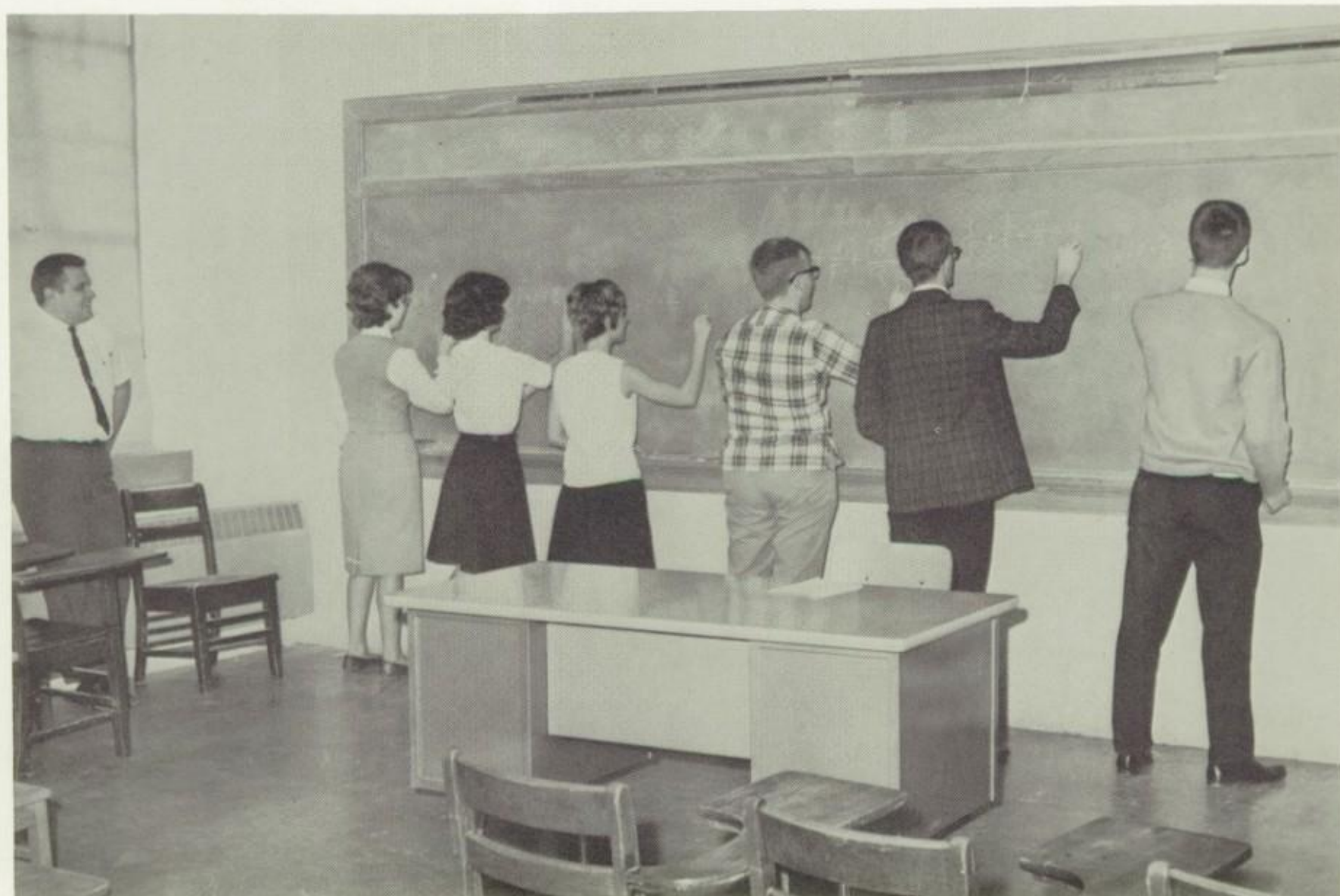


THESE BOYS seem to think working algebra at the board is fun, especially when they get the right answer.

## A Lasting and Useful Knowledge

### Mathematics

USING the FUNDAMENTALS they are supposed to have already mastered, these Algebra II students work diligently on their daily assignment.







USING the TAPE RECORDER to record their voices, Mrs. Turner says it helps the German class to improve their pronunciations.

Now that German has been a 2-year resident of Bucklin High, there were not quite so many exclamations and stares when a student came out of German class mumbling some foreign words that no one but German students could understand.

Mrs. Turner had a large class of first-year students again this year, who gave her their undivided cooperation. They learned the basic fundamentals of the language, plus the beginning of an entirely new vocabulary. The second-year students have declared that they enjoyed their second year of German even more than the first. Their class is a little more complicated because of their advancement into the grammatical studies of German. But nevertheless, they attack this confusing language and do their best to understand it.

Several selections of German literature have been read in the classes. The classes make use of recordings to help them with their understanding. And, for the sake of variety, German folk songs are sung using the record player as a background.

The study of German is so unique and different from the average "run-of-the-mill" class, that that fact alone makes it interesting and challenging.

## Language with a Foreign Flair

### German

DOING as the natives of Germany, the German class members link arms and sway from side to side as they sing their favorite German song.





Missouri laws in the field of education stipulate that each graduating high school student must have completed three years of study in English. In addition to these three courses, our school offers English IV. This course may be taken to serve as a fine arts requirement; other students take it for college preparation.

Mrs. Kelso endeavors to cover a wide variety of subject matter. The students study both grammar and literature. Spelling, vocabulary, and workbook drills combine to help the students express themselves more freely in oral and written work. The literature textbooks include dramas, poetry, short stories, and novels. To further supplement the teaching of literature, paperback novels are read in each of the four classes. These add variety and enable us to study more of the classics.

With the acquisition of all of the new library and reference books, the English program has been greatly enhanced. Students are more eager to read for pleasure and to do research work.



WRITING a TERM PAPER isn't quite so hard, since time is given during class for research.

## Language--

# One of Man's Most Important Tools

## English

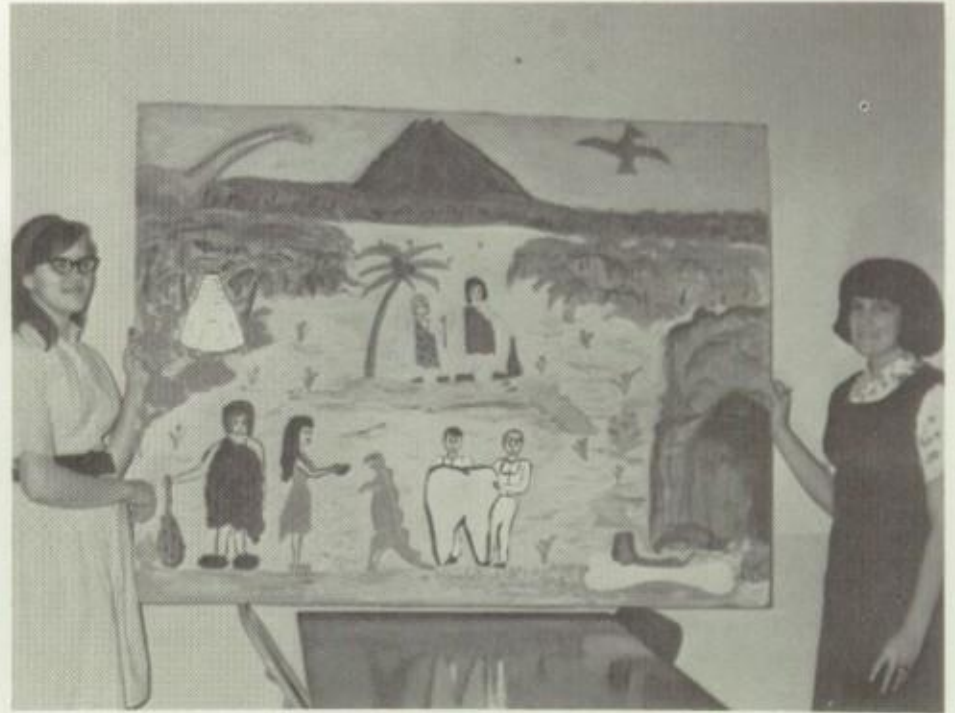
IN FRESHMAN ENGLISH class, Terry Hill tells Carla Griffin how to accent a poem.







MANY OF OUR STUDENTS find that art is an intriguing subject. Tom Heaton and Steve Morse work carefully on projects so that they may receive credit.



TWO GIRLS who spent a great deal of time in the study of art were Sharlene Coulson and Joan Kitchen.

## Specialized Activities--Art

We all know that we get real pleasure out of many of the common things we use in our daily lives. We get pleasure out of all the things we see and use if they are well designed. When an ordinary thing is well designed, it is raised from the humdrum and routine. Bucklin R-2's art program is not confined to the high school curriculum, but begins in the elementary grades. The younger students are also taught design, and many of the projects show much individual talent.

In the art classes students must attain individual

satisfaction. If the assignment is arranging a bouquet, it must be done well. If it is tooling a design on leather, painstaking care must be taken. Careful study must be given to water coloring, painting with pastels and tempera, oil painting, and sketching. Art students designed, constructed, and assembled the colorful Christmas display--Santa Claus and his reindeer gliding across the roof of our school building.

Art courses enable students to know and express themselves.

SCULPTURING is what they call it, but really we think Roger Davolt and Vernie Bailey just like to play in the snow.





# Family Life-- A Vital American Tradition

## Home Economics



FAMILY LIVING'S Child Care unit was given special emphasis when babies of various stages of development visited the class.

Home Economics Classes I, II, and III are electives and are open to the girls of our high school who are interested in homemaking. Good equipment in both the cooking and sewing departments help to make the classes popular and interesting.

The girls learn much worthwhile knowledge. They learn proper methods of sewing and cooking. In addition to developing these skills, they learn grooming habits, interior decoration

and home management, personality development, and child training.

Family Living was offered this year, and a good percentage of seniors enrolled in this class. They gained much valuable information in many different areas concerning living harmoniously as a family unit. Several guest lecturers shared their professional knowledge with the students.

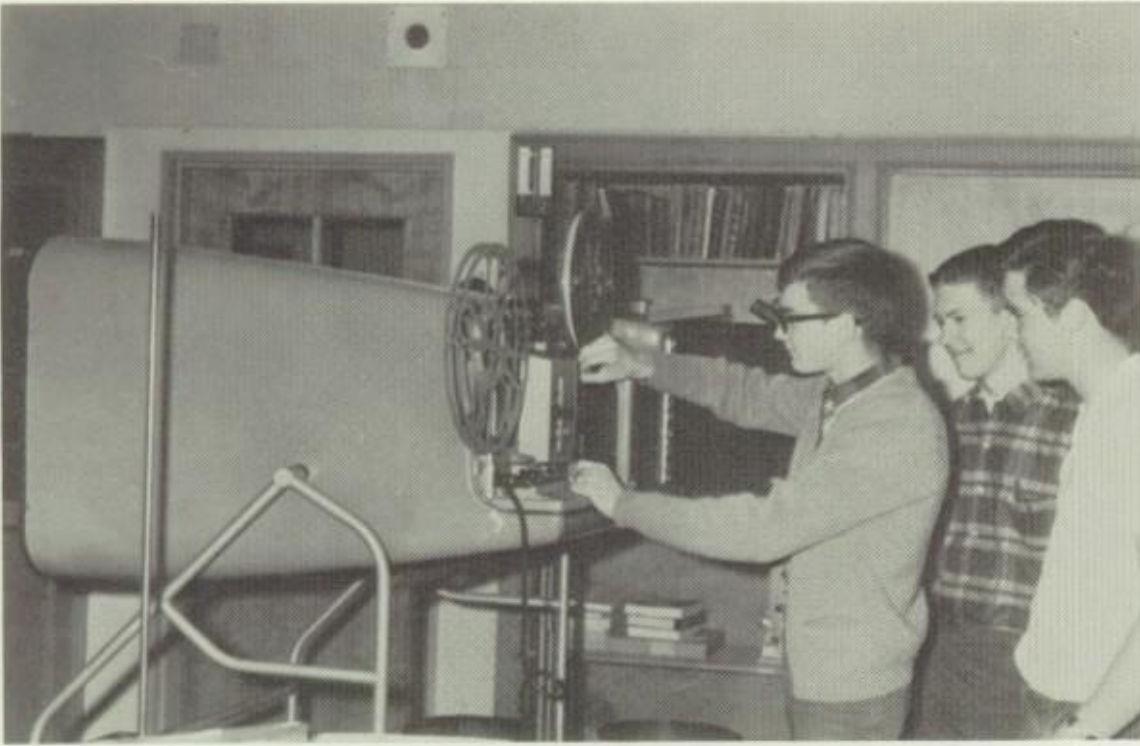
IN NO OTHER WAY does a girl feel such a sense of accomplishment as when she creates her own clothing and reaps the fruits of her labors.





# The Past, Present, and Future Are Blended

## Social Studies



VISUAL AIDS HELP to make history lessons up-to-date, and the boys also learn how to operate the projector.

A special task of the social studies department is to build good citizens. This is particularly true of the Citizenship class. To be good citizens we should know and be able to use many facts and skills. To be well adjusted we must be able to get along with our families, our community, our nation, and our world.

World History offers to the students a knowledge of the past history of various countries and gives us a basis on which to build opinions about our world neighbors.

Pupils learn the facts about the origin of our own nation and the principles of democracy developed by the founding fathers in American History class.

American Problems, an elective class, makes students aware of many of the problems that confront us, and possible solutions are investigated. Timely topics such as current events and newspapers are studied.

Becoming useful citizens in a community is a goal to which all students should strive.

IN THIS DAY AND AGE a study of American Problems is worthwhile and timely discussions are held.





# Intensive Preparation for the Career Bound Business Education



BOOKKEEPING PRACTICE SETS sometimes cause a lot of headaches, especially when one of the girls lost \$5,000.00 one night.

A career in business is a desirable and profitable occupation for many people. Some of our students are interested in securing jobs in the business world immediately after graduation, so they are encouraged to take all of the business courses. Some students feel that a knowledge of typewriting is sufficient for them. This is useful for typewritten themes in other classes, and it is good preparation for college.

The business classes that are offered this year are typing, bookkeeping, shorthand, and secretarial practice. They are all elective courses, but the enrollment is good in all of the classes.

Even though business education classes are not requirements, our living in this stepped-up modern world is dependent upon a knowledge of this important subject.

AFTER ONE YEAR of training in a typing class, our students have come a long way in both speed and accuracy and are able to produce acceptable pieces of work.







NEARLY ALL BOYS like to work with tools and produce useful articles. Industrial arts classes help to satisfy this desire for creativeness.

## Two Phases of Practical Arts Industrial Arts and Drivers' Training

The industrial arts program is as interesting as it is important. The students who enter into the various studies of woodworking, metalworking, general shop, and leathercraft do not think of these classes as ordinary classes, for while they are working on their various projects, they are working physically, which can seem a relief after straining their minds all day in other academic classes.

Although they learn by making projects, the students must learn about safety when using power tools such as the power saw, sabre saw, drill press, jointer, and the lathe. The students must also learn to take care of the hand tools, and the saying, "A place for everything and everything in its place," is appropriate in the school shop as well as the workshops at home or in business.

Drivers' training is an essential course--invaluable to students when they have graduated from school. They learn how to handle a car, what makes it run, and sometimes how to fix it when something causes it to "quit." Besides learning the actual rules of Missouri highway driving, the students learn acts of courtesy which help them to get along better with other drivers, and many times prevent accidents by being defensive drivers. They learn that many types of weather hinder driving--rain, hail, sleet, snow, and other adverse conditions.

Each student is supposed to get 6 hours of driving time, and 12 hours of riding time. This, to many students, is the best part of the drivers' training course because who wouldn't like to get away from school for a little while?

A KNOWLEDGE of the makeup of a car is as important as knowing how to drive properly.





Much of our physical education program centers on organized games, especially basketball, baseball, softball, and volleyball. In addition to these team endeavors, we have calisthenics, gymnastics, and various fitness tests. All of these help to develop and improve the individual's physical coordination.

Sportsmanship is emphasized, along with desirable personality traits and character qualities.

When the bell rings for a physical education class, students hurry to the dressing rooms, and put gym clothes on fast and furiously. By the time they reach the gym floor, they think they are already out of breath, but Mr. Matlick puts the finishing touches to that. He puts them to WORK. Then, when the bell rings again, they repeat the cycle--dressing rooms, change clothes, and return to classes.

Nearly all of the students enjoy P.E. classes, because they provide a break in the day from academic classes.



IF the OPPOSING TEAM fails to return this volleyball, Don Selmon's side wins the game.

## Modern Times Demand Physical Stamina

### Physical Education

OUR BOYS FEEL that Mr. Matlick must be a great believer in physical development by the way he puts them through the paces in physical education classes.











Music





DRUM MAJOR: Diana Burnett



FIRST ROW: Clarinets: Donna Burnett, Janet McCarty, Jan Carter, Betty Anderson, Diana Burnett. SECOND ROW: Clarinets: James Switzer, Debbie Vobornik, JoAnn Divelbess; Saxophones: Don Selmon, Patti Switzer, Richard Switzer. THIRD ROW: Basses: Bobby Twitchel, George Hanson; French Horns: Terry Finney, Herman Almond. FOURTH ROW: Director: Mr. Craig Bullis; Tympany: Douglas Burnham; Bass Drum: Bruce Pettit.

## Bucklin's Concert Band

BAND OFFICERS: Pat Carter, President; Jan Carter, Vice-President; Director: Mr. Craig Bullis, and Don Selmon, Secretary-Treasurer.







FIRST ROW: Flute: Betty Jo Gall; Cornets: Leighton Reid, Becky Carter, Judy Anderson, Pat Carter.  
SECOND ROW: Cornets: Wesley Switzer, Gilbert Selmon, Lonnie McCarty, Donna Siemens, Brenda Siemens.  
THIRD ROW: Drums: Tom Heaton, Danny Ervie, Michael Coulson, Dennis Aderton; Bells: Jackie Curry;  
Trombones: Randy Almond, Ronnie Greer, Philip Casady, Ken Sappington; Baritone: John Bennett.

Two concerts--one in the fall and one in the spring--are presented by Bucklin's Concert Band. These concerts are presented in the auditorium, so that parents and friends may enjoy the music and appreciate the fruits of the labors of the students and director.

Members of the Concert Band include both Junior High and Senior High students. They begin the school day with band rehearsal the first period. These class periods cover all types of music--show tunes, popular pieces, "hit" tunes, classical, and semi-classical selections.

BUCKLIN'S COLORFUL MAJORETTES, Donna Burnett, Debbie Vobornik, Jeanette Standley, Jackie Curry, and Bonita Stanley enjoy posing for a picture in their new uniforms.







# Music Inspires Students and Spectators

## The Marching and Pep Bands

As the Bucklin R-2 Band marched past the crowds in local parades, the spectators admired the new band uniforms purchased by the Band Boosters. The new uniforms were issued to the band students just prior to the annual Bucklin Homecoming Parade in August, so that they could be worn first locally.

The band also marched in the Linn County 4-H Parade and the New Cambria Fall Festival. They had the privilege to attend the Missouri State Fair, the Missouri University Band Day, and the Homecoming at Kirksville State Teachers College. The band will be proud to show their uniforms for years to come!

FIRST ROW: Donna Burnett, Janet McCarty, Jan Carter, Betty Anderson, Diana Burnett, Betty Jo Gall, Leighton Reid, Becky Carter, Judy Anderson, Pat Carter. SECOND ROW: Mr. Craig Bullis (Director), James Switzer, Debbie Vobornik, JoAnn Divelbess, Patti Switzer, Richard Switzer, Herman Almond, Terry Finney, Don Selmon, Ken Sappington, Ronnie Greer, Philip Casady, John Bennett, Wesley Switzer, Gilbert Selmon, Lonnie McCarty, Donna Siemens, Brenda Siemens. THIRD ROW: George Hanson, Bob Twitchel, Michael Coulson, Douglas Burnham, Danny Ervie, Tom Heaton, Dennis Aderton, Bruce Pettit, Jackie Curry.







FIRST ROW: Debbie Johnson, Aleta Selmon, Dean Standley, Calvin Hall, Diane Siemens, Kathy Jobson, Bruce Dowell, and Jonathan Coulson. SECOND ROW: Director: Mr. Bullis, Pamela Sturguess, Bruce Switzer, and Donna Riley.

## Musicians in the Making

### CADET BAND

FIRST ROW: Pamulla Carriker, Michael Selmon, Cheryl Holloway, Mark McCollum, Vickie Riley, Beverly Switzer, Joy Sappington, Rex Jackson, Robin Greer, Tommy Nowak, Don Nell Huff, and Terry Moorshead. SECOND ROW: Scarlett Wolf, Jack Scifers, James Gall, Jerry Main, George Almond, Terry Siemens, and Thomas Main. THIRD ROW: Director: Mr. Bullis, Marty Herriman, Allen Molloy, and Randy Haun.







HOPING TO RECEIVE helpful criticism, Betty Jo Gall anticipates the music contest.



THOUGH DIANA BURNETT appears to always be busy practicing on her clarinet solo, she finds enough time to pose for a picture.

As school begins to progress into the third quarter, band students know that signifies that spring will soon be here. And, with the approach of spring, solo and ensemble contests are held on the campus of the State Teachers College at Kirksville, Missouri.

Individuals and groups pick out their music and then begin to practice. The students who

are willing to devote the most time to these extra projects are the ones who reap the most benefits from their endeavors.

Our school was proud to have several music department students this year who entered the contests and received critical ratings from the judges. These constructive criticisms serve to better the individuals and the entire department.

MAKING UP A Percussion Ensemble for Contest were: Douglas Burnham, Dennis Aderton, Danny Ervie, Tom Heaton, Bruce Pettit, and Michael Coulson.







SINGING SOLOS FOR contest and special events seems to be a real source of enjoyment for Pam Husted.



THE CLARINET TRIO consists of Donna Burnett, Betty Anderson, and Diana Burnett. They will be appearing before many different audiences this year.

## Hard Work - Good Ratings

### Solo and Ensemble Contest Entries

A TRUMPET QUARTET was provided for contest this year by Leighton Reid, Becky Carter, Judy Anderson, and Pat Carter.







JUNIOR HIGH  
GIRLS' CHORUS

FIRST ROW: Cheryl Holloway, Barbara Arbuckle, Grace Ann Jobson, Patty Cohoon, Brenda Verrone, Karen Stanley, Luann English, Joanne Mills, Linda Main, Vickie Riley. SECOND ROW: Linda Payne, Linda Haggin, Don Nell Huff, Nancy Nickerson, Robin Greer, Terry Moorshead, Mary Overstreet. THIRD ROW: Pam Carriker, Pamela Krawl, Lucille Mills, Donna Whisenand, Christy Simpson, Debbie Main, Ann Schillinger, Brenda Moorshead, Mr. Bullis.

## Choral Groups Blend Voices

HIGH SCHOOL  
GIRLS' CHORUS

FIRST ROW: Shirley Saltsider, Beverly Davis, Carla Griffin, Elsie Davolt, Pam Verrone, Pam Standley, Bonita Stanley, Mary Arbuckle, Sharlene Coulson, Mr. Bullis. SECOND ROW: Betty Jo Gall, Brenda Burris, Barbara Davis, Patty Eshmont, Bonna Coram, Linda Akins, Joyce Cupp, Susan Anderson, Mona Lovett. THIRD ROW: Pam Hughes, Pam Husted, Diana Burnett, Mary Jo Dean, Jannice Cash, Barbara Neff.







JUNIOR HIGH  
BOYS' CHORUS

FIRST ROW: David Casady, Tommy Nowak, Larry Hill, Richard Ware, Tim Siemens, Mark McCollum, James Switzer, John Bennett, Douglas Burnham, Wesley Switzer, Gilbert Selmon. SECOND ROW: Ronnie Mills, Richard Jackson, Rex Jackson, Richard Switzer, Billy Payne, Philip Casady, Lee Roy Cash, Ronnie Greer, Dennis Aderton, Randy Haun, Rich Ware, Michael Selmon, Mr. Bullis. THIRD ROW: Allen Molloy, Joe Wheeler, Brad Morse, Randell Jones, Michael Coulson, Danny Ervie, Randy Almond, Bruce Pettit.

## in Familiar Tunes

HIGH SCHOOL  
BOYS' CHORUS

FIRST ROW: Donny Morse, Richard Krawl, Terry Hill, Danny Burris, Roy Cash, Tim Ware. SECOND ROW: Carl Walker, Roger Davolt, Randy West, Daryl Cohoon, Rickie Greer, Roy Riddle, Vernie Bailey, John Casady, Harvey Riley, Mr. Bullis. THIRD ROW: Jim Jackson, Leighton Reid, George Hanson, Bob Twitchel, Gary Holmlund, Danny Thompson, Kent Nickerson, Tom Heaton.







THE CHRISTMAS PROGRAM had some very lively clowns. They are: Frankie Mills, Steven Willsie, Timmy Siemens, and Joe King. Your guess is as good as ours in telling which boy is which when they are doing their stunts.

## Merry Christmas, Mr. Snowman

Presented by Grades 1-4 December 20, 1966

Jean and Jerry Lane are making a Snowman for Christmas. They leave him unfinished to go caroling. This makes the Snowman very unhappy. He complains to the Sandman, who has come to put the children to sleep. The Sandman advises him to try to help others instead of thinking about himself if he wants to be happy.

The appearance of Santa Claus worries the Sandman because the children are still awake. The Snowman, seeing an opportunity to be of help, throws some of the Sandman's Sleepy Sand into Santa's eyes, putting him to sleep until the children can be found and put to bed.

Santa sleeps so soundly that when the time comes for him to get up, even Mrs. Claus cannot awaken him. Crystal, the Snowflake Queen, finally succeeds in arousing him with her magic wand.

The children return and finish the Snowman. He is the center of attraction because he tried to help the Sandman and the children by putting Santa to sleep. Santa forgives the children for being awake when he finds that they have been spreading Christmas cheer by singing carols. Everyone is happy, especially the Snowman, because this is his very first Christmas.

QUEEN SNOWFLAKE and her dancing snowflakes do their routine. The girls look very pretty in the costumes that were so carefully designed and made for them.







SINGING CHRISTMAS carols as they work on the snowman, the children find the work goes faster.



JUMPING with CHRISTMAS SPIRIT, the "Jack-in-the-Boxes" are being assisted by Santa's willing helpers.



WE HOPE THE temperature in the auditorium wasn't too hot to melt the snowmen before performance!



GALLOPING INTO the Christmas scene the cow-boys rein their horses to the front of the stage.

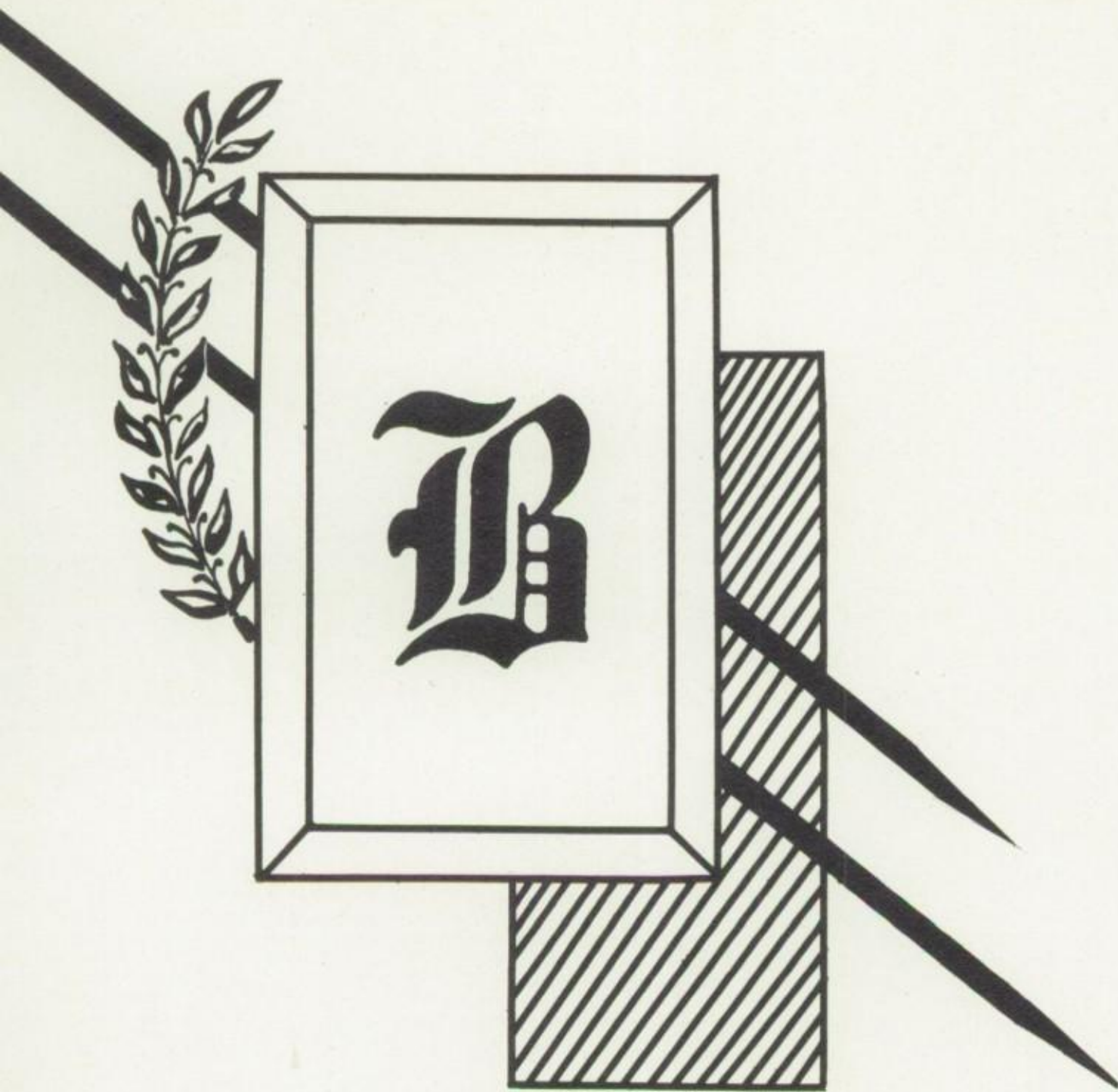
ALL of the CHILDREN seem sad as they say farewell to the audience. They worked very hard making their program a success and the final curtain brought a sigh of relief.











# Sports





BACK ROW: Jackie Curry, Linda Akins, Trudy Homan, Janet McCarty, Sandy Watson, Brenda Jones, Pat Carter, Diana Burnett, Betty Anderson, Pam Watson, Judy Anderson, Coach Matlick. FRONT ROW: Donna Burnett, Beverly Davis, Carla Griffin, Elsie Davolt, Debbie Ware, Jo Divelbess, and Barbara Davis.

## Autumn's Sport

### Softball

EVEN THOUGH you have to work to be a good softball player, girls gather around the mound occasionally to discuss the opposing team's weaknesses.



Softball is the sport that all the girls look forward to when school rolls around in the fall. The girls work hard to get in shape, and to get their eye on the ball.

This year the squad did well, and took third place at the Bevier Tournament. The team is looking ahead to next year's season as many of the starters will return.







JUDY ANDERSON is putting all she has into the 50-yard dash as shown by her facial expression.



"I'VE GOT to get some distance on this throw," thinks Sandy Watson as she prepares to throw the basketball.

## Springtime Recreation

### Girls' Track

Track furnishes many thrills and moments of anxiety for the Bucklin girls' track team. Every event must be properly trained for, in order for the girls to give their best performance.

Whether the event is an individual effort such as throwing the shot, or whether it is team effort, such as a relay race, each member must be in top physical condition.

BETTY ANDERSON gladly crosses the finish line after running the tiring 75-yard dash.



VICKI HILL waits for the sound of the gun to start the race. She seems intent on running a good race.







"I MUST MAKE IT up and over the top," thinks Jimmie Jackson as he pulls with all of his might to reach his highest goal in the pole-vaulting contest.

## Boys' Track

HARVEY RILEY'S hard work in running and exercising helped him to become a better athlete as he placed second in this track meet.



Competition is very keen in boys' track. It varies from the slow stride and the mighty effort in the high jump to the blinding speed in the 100-yard dash. Each of these plus all of the other track events calls for good training rules, much practice, and a great desire to win.





ONE MUST DEVELOP good form to be proficient in the hurdles. Randy Jackson strives hard to improve his form and place for Bucklin in the high hurdle event.



OFF to a FAST START may make the difference in the end as Kenny Sappington comes off the line after receiving the baton from his partner.



## A Sure-Fire Way to Develop Physical Stamina



"I'VE GOT IT," says Lee Reid as he gets the baton from Harvey Riley in the relay race.

HIGH JUMPS take skill as well as energy as Rickie Greer rolls over the bar.







AS COACH MATLICK prepares to tell his strategy plans for the next ball game, an informal snapshot was taken of the Bulldog Baseball Team.

## Stimulating Outdoor Sport

### Baseball

WORKMANSHIP between the catcher and pitcher helps win ball games as Don Selmon and Terry Hill talk over their game strategy.

Baseball is a sport that takes many strenuous hours of hard work in practice. The body must be in top physical condition.

Baseball is the favorite national sport of our country, and our community shares this opinion with the rest of our nation. Our boys like the thrilling excitement of this game as a competitive sport in our local conference.

Bucklin will lose only one senior boy this year from the team. We have good prospects for a winning season next year.







BATTING is one of the many movements in baseball that helps win the ball game, as Kenny Sappington swings in batting practice to improve his hitting.



DON SELMON spent many hours trying to build up his skills to help him become the Bulldogs' number "1" pitcher.



## Season's Record

|            |       |               |
|------------|-------|---------------|
| Bucklin 2  | ..... | Browning 9    |
| Bucklin 8  | ..... | Callao 4      |
| Bucklin 2  | ..... | Meadville 5   |
| Bucklin 2  | ..... | New Cambria 8 |
| Bucklin 2  | ..... | Bevier 14     |
| Bucklin 9  | ..... | Elmer 4       |
| Bucklin 14 | ..... | Callao 7      |



"I'VE GOT IT MADE," thinks Bob Twitchel as he prepares to slide into second base as Lonnie McCarty awaits the relay and Donny Morse makes the catch.

SLIDING HELPS a player to be safe in stealing bases, Roy Riddle practices his famous slide that helps him to feel safe in case of danger.







HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADERS: Barbara Neff, Donna Burnett, Jeanette Standley, Beverly Davis, Diana Burnett.

It can appropriately be said that the cheerleaders add their fair share to the success of the basketball games. Their smiling faces and their vitality add inspiration to the student body and to the adult spectators.

Our cheerleaders always gave a welcoming cheer

for the opposing team. At times the competition between the cheerleaders of the rival schools was about as great as it was between the ball teams.

The high school cheerleaders were sponsored by Mrs. Jessie Sappington, and the junior high cheerleaders had Mrs. Martha Neff as their sponsor.

EFFICIENTLY TAKING CARE of the time clock and the score board were Jim Curry and Gary Davolt. They were assisted by representatives of the visiting team.







JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS: Robin Greer, Linda Main, Patty Cohoon, Patti Switzer, Grace Ann Jobson, Vickie Riley, Pam Verrone.



## Vim, Vigor, and Vitality The Secret Ingredients Cheerleaders and Officials

DURING a RELAXED MOMENT, the cameraman caught the cheerleaders in an informal situation.



TROPHIES EARNED in the field of sports during the 1965-66 year were presented at the school's closing assembly.







Pam Hughes (Manager), Debbe Ware, Donna Siemens, Judy Anderson, Linda Jackson, Betty Anderson, Pat Carter, Mary Jo Dean, Karen Jackson, Jackie Curry, Joyce Switzer, Shirley Payne (Manager), Mr. Matlick (Coach).

## Challenging, Exciting, and Exhausting Girls' Basketball

"YOU'RE NOT GOING to get this ball away from me," thinks Judy Anderson as she is being closely guarded by New Cambria's guard.



Basketball is a game which combines speed and finesse and the determination to make it a real exciting sport. This definition applies very appropriately to the Bucklin girls.

Throughout the season, our girls demonstrated the hustle and skill that it takes to win ball games. The guards did a fine job of getting the ball from the opposition and down the court to the forwards. When the forwards once obtained possession of the ball, they seemed to know exactly what to do with it, and were able to score many points.

The squad will lose three starting seniors this year. They are Pat Carter, Mary Jo Dean, and Karen Jackson. This loss will be felt, but as the younger players gain experience, we look ahead to fine performances in the field of girls' basketball.





AS KAREN JACKSON and MARY JO DEAN ready themselves to steal the ball, Betty Anderson gets set to jump.



DRIBBLING PAST an opponent, Betty Anderson is helped by Jackie Curry as Jackie sets a screen.

## Season's Record

|            |       |                 |
|------------|-------|-----------------|
| Bucklin 33 | ..... | Ethel 39        |
| Bucklin 30 | ..... | Ethel 26        |
| Bucklin 63 | ..... | Callao 33       |
| Bucklin 34 | ..... | New Cambria 29  |
| Bucklin 30 | ..... | Linn Co. R-1 57 |
| Bucklin 50 | ..... | Linn Co. R-1 55 |
| Bucklin 57 | ..... | Bevier 51       |
| Bucklin 39 | ..... | Meadville 48    |

|            |       |                |
|------------|-------|----------------|
| Bucklin 24 | ..... | Elmer 34       |
| Bucklin 72 | ..... | Callao 31      |
| Bucklin 48 | ..... | New Cambria 22 |
| Bucklin 37 | ..... | Green City 50  |
| Bucklin 44 | ..... | Meadville 55   |
| Bucklin 36 | ..... | Bevier 49      |
| Bucklin 23 | ..... | Elmer 36       |
| Bucklin 36 | ..... | Atlanta 48     |

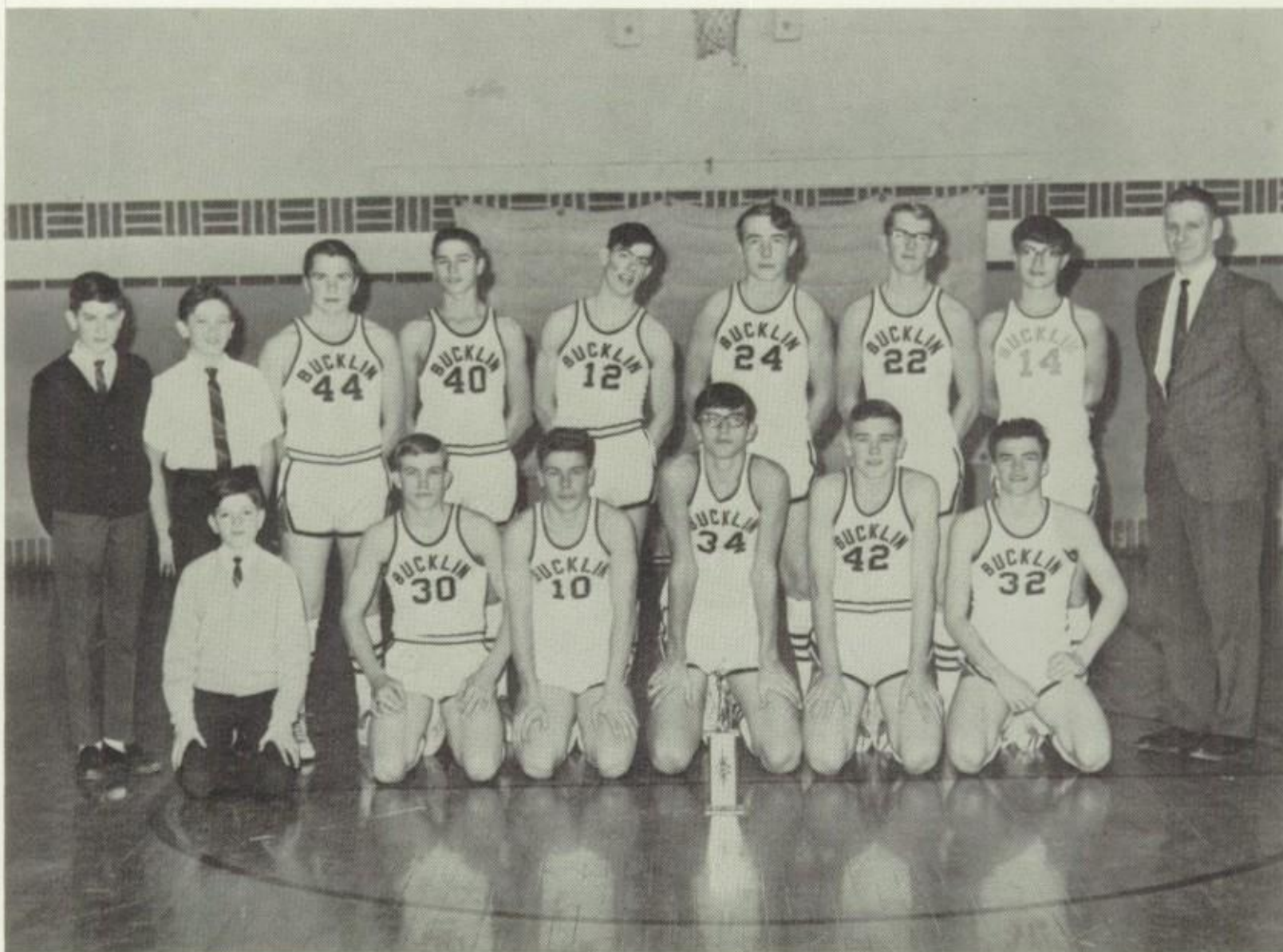
DURING the GAME with the New Cambria Trojans, Pat Carter tries for a two-pointer.



WITH PAT CARTER waiting for the rebound, Linda Jackson goes for the basket with a lay-up.







FIRST ROW: Frostie Selmon (Manager), John Casady, Leighton Reid, Don Selmon, Rick Greer, Ken Sappington. SECOND ROW: Gib Selmon (Manager), Ronnie Greer (Manager), Daryl Cohoon, Randy Payne, Tom Heaton, Stan Watson, Bob Twitchel, Roy Riddle, Coach Matlick.

## Experienced a Successful Season

DEFENSE PLAYS an important role in the winning of a ball game as Bobby Twitchel, Tommy Heaton, and Stanley Watson demonstrate their skills.



The Bucklin High School team experienced a very successful season this school year. During the basketball season, the boys chalked up 15 wins and 13 losses, counting all the games played in tournaments as well as regular games.

The boys participated in three tournaments and did very well. In the regional tournament at Green City, fourth place was earned and a basketball was received as a reward.

Coach Matlick was well pleased with their success.





LEE REID goes high for a lay-up and two points. Reid, a senior, proved invaluable to the team this year.



KEN SAPPINGTON has just found a teammate open and is using all of his ability to get the ball to him.



## Season's Record

|                  |                     |
|------------------|---------------------|
| Bucklin 90 ..... | Ethel 44            |
| Bucklin 56 ..... | Ethel 43            |
| Bucklin 72 ..... | Callao 60           |
| Bucklin 99 ..... | New Cambria 72      |
| Bucklin 42 ..... | Linn County R-1 93  |
| Bucklin 49 ..... | Linn County R-1 102 |
| Bucklin 49 ..... | Bevier 106          |
| Bucklin 62 ..... | Meadville 61        |
| Bucklin 77 ..... | Elmer 52            |
| Bucklin 87 ..... | Callao 62           |
| Bucklin 77 ..... | New Cambria 68      |
| Bucklin 43 ..... | Green City 77       |
| Bucklin 86 ..... | Meadville 73        |
| Bucklin 57 ..... | Bevier 83           |
| Bucklin 60 ..... | Elmer 67            |
| Bucklin 72 ..... | Atlanta 63          |

## Boys' Basketball

JOHN CASADY goes in all alone for a lay-up as Lee Reid waits to rebound in case he misses.







Terry Moorshead (Manager), Brenda Verrone, Luann English, Linda Haggin, Linda Payne, Ann Schillinger, Debbie Main, Jo Ann Divelbess, Pamela Standley, Christy Simpson, Elsie Davolt, Pamulla Carriker, Brenda Burris, Brenda Moorshead, Carla Griffin, Karen Stanley, and Coach Matlick.

## Making Preparation Junior High Girls' Basketball

"WHERE DID all my friends go" thinks Pamulla Carriker as she is guarded heavily by her opponents.



The time comes each year when seventh, eighth, and ninth grade girls are given the chance to show their skills and abilities in basketball.

The junior high years are set up to help the girls learn the fundamentals of basketball. Then, when the girls are old enough for the varsity team, they have all of these basic principles already in their minds.

Our girls continued to improve as the season went along.





FRONT ROW: Mark McCollum, Doug Burnham, Richard Ware, Terry Siemens, Frosty Selmon, David Casady, Randell Jones, Allen Molloy, Tommy Nowak, Larry Hill, Ritchie Ware, Brad Morse. BACK ROW: Bruce Pettit (Manager), Tim Ware, James Switzer, Gib Selmon, Lonnie McCarty, Danny Ervie, Danny Burris, Terry Hill, Terry Haun, Donny Morse, Randy Almond, Ronnie Greer, Philip Casady, Scotty Aderton, John Bennett, Richard Switzer, Coach Matlick.

## for the Varsity Teams

### Junior High Boys' Basketball

Basketball is a sport in which energy, skill, and sportsmanship are needed to have a well formed ball team. Bucklin was very fortunate to have a promising and young Junior High basketball team that worked hard throughout the season. The number of boys interested in this sport was a good indication as to its popularity.

Coach Matlick was well pleased with the way the boys performed.

TERRY HILL prepares to sink another "free throw," during an exciting home ball game.











## Activities





VALENTINE CANDIDATES and ESCORTS: Betty Anderson, Leighton Reid, Elsie Davolt, Terry Hill, Don Selmon, Karen Jackson, Linda Jackson, Stan Watson.

## We Salute Queen Karen -

QUEEN KAREN received red roses as a token of appreciation.



## In Both Coronations Valentine and Homecoming

Every year the boys' basketball team selects a girl player from each high school class to compete for the honor of Valentine Sweetheart. The actual selection of the queen, however, is done by votes of spectators at the game, who cast their ballots as they enter the gymnasium.

At the half of the boys' game between Atlanta and Bucklin, on February 16, 1967, the Senior candidate, Karen Jackson, was crowned as Queen of the 1967 Valentine Sweetheart game. The queen received a bouquet of red roses from her escort, Don Selmon, while her attendants received single roses. Her attendants were: Freshman: Elsie Davolt, escorted by Terry Hill; Sophomore: Linda Jackson, escorted by Stan Watson; and Junior: Betty Anderson, escorted by Leighton Reid.

This proved to be a very exciting evening.





THE HOMECOMING COURT: Trella Briggs, Phillip Bennett, Karen Jackson, Leighton Reid, Debbie Vobornik, Terry Hill, Linda Jackson, Stan Watson, Bonita Stanley, Ken Sappington.

The Homecoming Queen for nineteen hundred and sixty-six and sixty-seven is -----.

This annual occurrence, was the exciting moment of November 11, 1966. It was a very happy occasion as the band performed at the half of the boys' game.

At this time the candidates were announced. First came the Freshmen: Debbie Vobornik and

Terry Hill. Next came the Sophomore candidates: Linda Jackson and Stanley Watson. Then came the Junior candidates: Bonita Stanley and Ken Sappington. Following this Kent Nickerson, President of the Student Council, announced the Senior candidates, Leighton Reid and Karen Jackson, king and queen as they ascended the stairs and were crowned.

CLIMAXING the HOMECOMING PROCEEDINGS was the crowning of Karen Jackson as queen and Leighton Reid as king.







REBECCA BOLT has a fit of sneezing as Mrs. Gertie Glossop wields a can of antiseptic.



HENRY GOOBER, THE NEW PORTER, listens closely as Mrs. Bolt explains his duties.

BENITA BOLT CATCHES Phineas Plunkett disguised and impersonating Samuel Henry.



# Bolts and Nuts

## Senior Play April 15, 1966

### Cast of Characters

|                           |                   |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Benita Bolt .....         | Vicki Hill        |
| Lutie Spinks .....        | Rama Head         |
| Rebecca Bolt .....        | Judy Switzer      |
| Martha Grubb .....        | Mary Ervie        |
| Twink Starr .....         | Keith Switzer     |
| Dr. Hippocrates Joy ..... | Dennis Burnett    |
| Henry Goober .....        | Mark Nickerson    |
| Phineas Plunkett .....    | Brad Stanley      |
| Miss Prunella Figg .....  | Betty Twitchel    |
| Cadwalleder Clippy .....  | David Schillinger |
| Mrs. Gertie Glossop ..... | Donna Thompson    |
| Wilbur Glossop .....      | Stanley Casady    |
| Jack Gordon .....         | Chuck Bennett     |



AS CURTAIN TIME APPROACHES, Miss Cannon and David Schillinger are found applying make-up to Mark Nickerson for his part as Henry.

"I'M THE SWIFTEST diagnostician in the world," declares Dr. Joy as he pronounces Mrs. Bolt an emotional woman, a "schizoid type."





## Synopsis

Miss Rebecca Bolt, whose hobby is psychoanalysis, inherits a spooky old mansion. She turns it into a sanitarium for patients with phobias and nervous diseases. The nuts start to pour in, and the fun begins. Lutie Spinks has a nervous habit of winking that gets her into trouble with flirtatious men patients. Gertie Glossop has a contagion-phobia and nearly asphyxiates everybody with her spraying machines. Cadwallender Clippy has a catphobia and loses his wits over Wilbur's pet cat. Prunella Figg suffers from claustrophobia; Martha Grubb, the cook, is melancholic; Plunkett develops a persecution complex; and Henry fears lunatics. Hilarious situations develop as Dr. Hippocrates Joy undertakes to cure the patients.



"I WON'T DO IT," says Lutie, the maid, to Mr Cadwallender Clippy and Phineas Plunkett.



"MY CAT HENRY JUST HAD KITTENS," exclaims Wilbur to his mother, Mrs. Glossop.



JACK GORDON, an intern, exposes Dr. Joy as an imposter and a mental patient.

"ALL HAIL THE MIGHTY JULIUS CAESAR." Keith Switzer suffered from delusions of grandeur while portraying Twink Starr.



"A MESSAGE FROM THE DEAD," declares Martha Grubb to the new owner of the haunted house.





FACIAL EXPRESSIONS SHOW US that the cast of "On the Range" was both happy and relieved when the finale was reached and the final curtain fell.

## "On the Range"

May Day Program

April 29, 1966

THE MAY QUEEN AND HER COURT: Debbie Main, Randy Almond, Brenda Moorshead, Donnie Morse, Queen Ann Schillinger, Danny Ervie. FLOWER GIRLS: Kathy Riley, Cindy Almond. CROWN BEARER: John Andy Shoemaker.



THE LEADER OF THE WILD HAWKS BAND (John Bennett) and his buddy, Pinch (Richard Switzer), have just been caught by the sheriff and his deputies.





## Synopsis

In the first act of "On the Range" we find the graduating class of Wayback Tech. College has arrived at Arizona's Grand Canyon. This trip is the final event of a successful four years at Tech. and everyone is looking forward to one grand time. Ezra Spinks, Professor of Natural History, and Miss Lee, Instructor of English, are the chaperons. Ma Spinks, wife of Ezra, was an unwilling passenger on the train from Wayback. She simply stepped on the train to deliver Ezra's traveling bag to him and the train carried her along with the others. She has no desire, she says, to have her new transformation scalped off her head by wild Indians.

The first person Ma Spinks sees at the Canyon is Jim Gray disguised as an Indian guide and she considers her transformation as good as gone. Jim has hurried there to search among the young people for his lost little sister. When Jim was a little lad his father left him and his mother to look for gold in the Klondike. Jim's sister was born soon after and his mother died. The baby was placed in an orphanage. Before they took her away, however, Jim tied a locket about her neck with his mother's name on the back and her picture inside. The father returned soon after and started a search for his baby.

When Jim sees Nancy Gray, he knows his search is ended as she is the image of his mother and has the locket. Jim sends to the ranch for his father, but the father is kidnaped by the Wild Hawk Band. A posse composed of cowboys and students start out to rescue him, which they do, also apprehending the robbers, and Mr. Gray sees his daughter for the first time.



THE COWBOYS FROM THE GRAY RANCH: Pokeasy (Mike Crist), Big Bill (Danny Burris), and Shorty (Dennis Aderton).

MA SPINKS (ELSIE DAVOLT) AND EZRA SPINKS (BRUCE PETTIT) take time out for a jig.



THE FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADERS enjoy the excitement of the Winding of the Maypole.







THE ROMANTIC MUSIC OF THE JOHNNY HOWARD TRIO led the Juniors and Seniors into a beautiful garden filled with "MOONLIGHT AND ROSES."

## Moonlight and Roses

DANCING WAS ENJOYED BY EVERYONE, especially the Juniors who were happy to relax after weeks of planning.



JUNIOR AND SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Mary Jo Dean, Pat Carter, Karen Jackson, Herman Almond, Dennis Burnett, Stanley Casady, Joan Liebhart, Greg Herriman.





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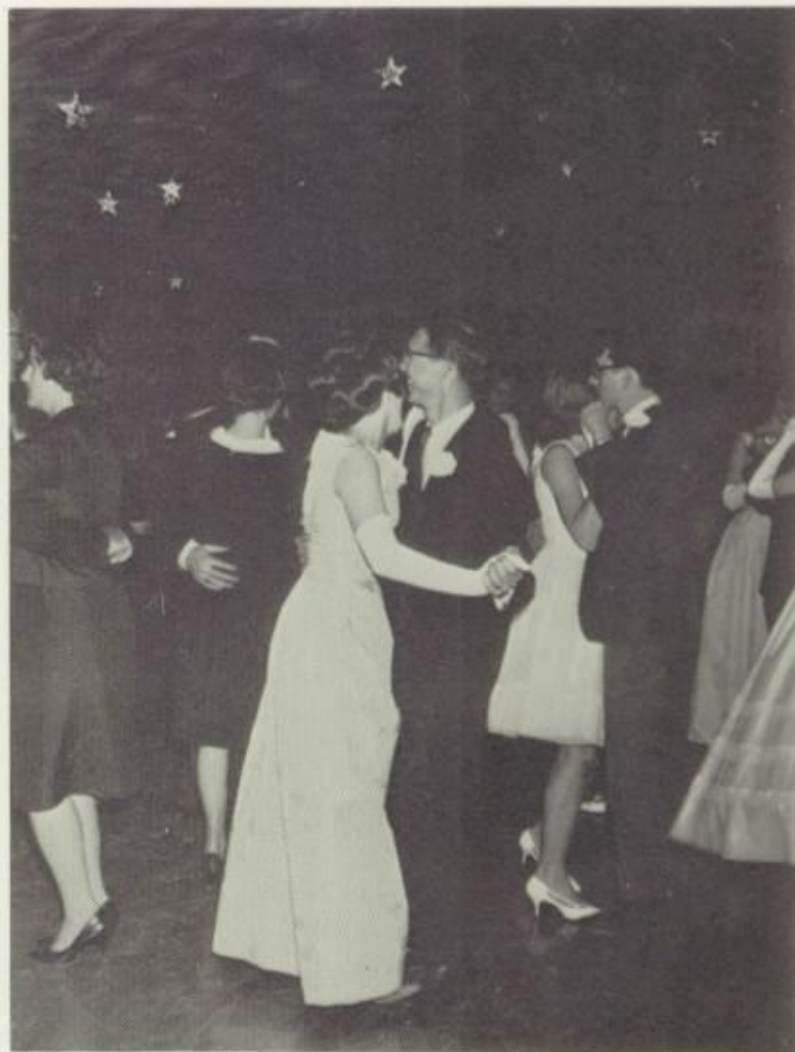
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SANDY WATSON AND DENNIS BURNETT seem to be enjoying themselves as they share a dance.

# Junior-Senior Prom and Banquet

May 12, 1966

THE PUNCH TABLE was a favorite spot for thirsty dancers. Betty Anderson and Pam Watson, Sophomore servers saw to it that everyone was served.



SERVERS: Front Row: Susan Anderson, Pam Watson, Betty Anderson, Sharon Davis, Donna Burnett. Back Row: Carl Walker, Kent Nickerson, Martin Kitchen, Bob Twitchel, John Casady.







SENIORS: Front Row: Betty Twitchel, Charles Jobson, Chuck Bennett, David Schillinger, Stanley Casady, Darrel Johnson. Back Row: Rama Head, Dennis Burnett, Judy Switzer, Reavis Hill, Marilyn Hayes, Brad Stanley, Keith Switzer, Norma Standley, Donna Thompson, Vicki Hill, Mary Ervie, Greg Herriman.

## Foot-loose and Fancy Free

### Senior Trip-1966

WHILE THE REST OF THE SENIORS take a look at the view, Mary Ervie takes time out for a picture.



THE SENIOR BOYS prove that relaxing in chaise lounges is their idea of luxury.







HOPING THAT THEY WILL NEVER GET caught in a "Hangman's Noose," Stanley Casady, Keith Switzer and Darrel Johnson try the ropes on for size.

## Destination- Daytona Beach

CAUGHT AT LAST are the Criminals from Bucklin High, Deana Jackson, Rama Head, Vicki Hill and Betty Twitchel.



CARD GAMES WERE A FAVORITE PASTIME of the Nite-Owls, while the others tried to get some sleep.







GIVING A ROSE TO each of the Seniors is Valedictorian, Betty Twitchel.

## A Time for Joy A Time for Tears



IT'S A PROUD MOMENT for Darrel Johnson when he receives his diploma from Dale Behrman, President of the Board.

FRONT ROW: Pearl Clark, Betty Twitchel, Reavis Hill, Charles Jobson, Judy Switzer, Joan Liebhart, David Schillinger, Greg Herriman, Rama Head. MIDDLE ROW: Vickie Griffin, Linda Mendenhall, Donna Thompson, Mary Ervie, Vicki Hill, Mike Behrman, Phyllis Lovett, Norma Standley, Marilyn Hayes. BACK ROW: Brad Stanley, Dennis Burnett, Keith Switzer, Mark Nickerson, Chuck Bennett, Stanley Casady, Darrel Johnson, Darrell Milliron.







TAKING AN OUTING away from school, the Seniors and their sponsors enjoyed their visit to Moorman's at Quincy.

## Baccalaureate Program

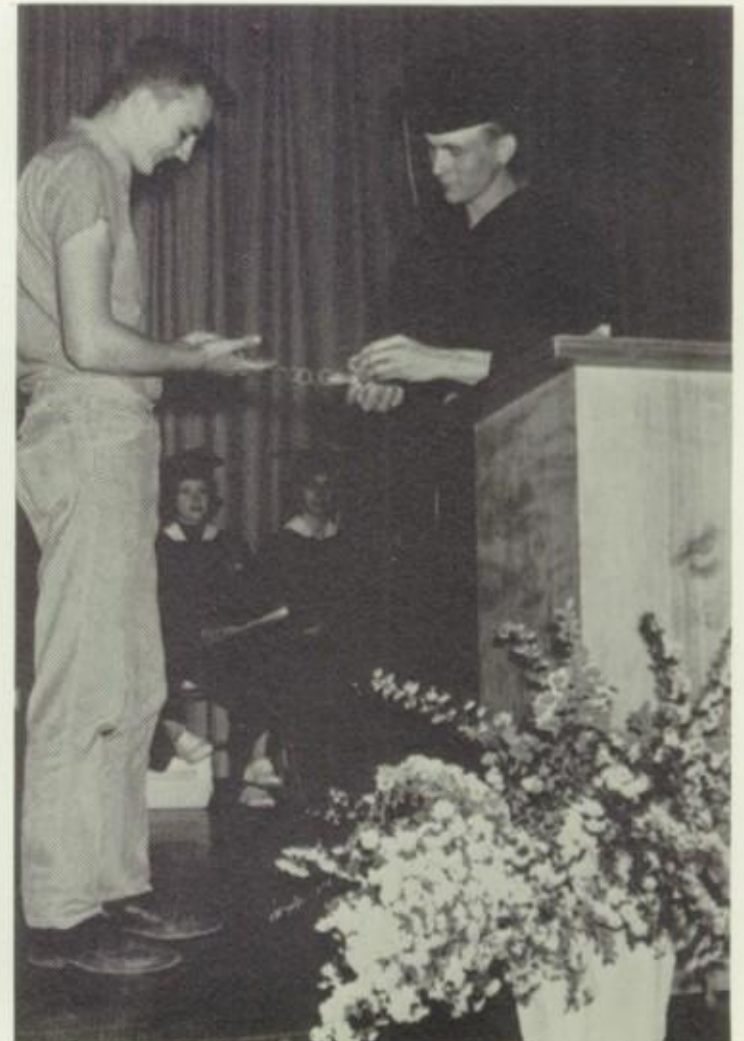
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| Processional ..... | Mrs. Albert Switzer    |
|                    | "God of Our Fathers"   |
| Invocation .....   | Rev. John Thompson     |
|                    | Christian Church       |
| Scripture .....    | Rev. Earl Myers        |
|                    | Assembly of God Church |
| Vocal Solo .....   | Carol Joyce Rickman    |
|                    | "I'll Walk with God"   |
| Sermon .....       | Rev. Thompson          |
| Benediction .....  | Rev. Myers             |

SENIOR ASSEMBLY: Judy Switzer reads the Seniors' "Last Will."



HONORARY ESCORTS: Kathy Riley and Tim Stanfield. Back Row: Karen Jackson and Jimmie Jackson.

SENIOR CLASS PRESIDENT, Stan Casady, presents the continuing silver chain to Herman Almond, Junior President.







A SMILE OF PLEASURE is shown on the face of Eighth Grade Graduate, Arlene McCollum, as she accepts her diploma from Dale Behrman.

## Program

|                                |                                          |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Processional .....             | Mrs. Albert Switzer                      |
|                                | "Pomp and Circumstance"                  |
| Invocation .....               | Rev. Earl Myers                          |
|                                | Assembly of God Church                   |
| Music, "Graduation Day" .....  | Sextet                                   |
|                                | Vicki Hill, Vicki Griffin, Rama Head,    |
|                                | Betty Twitchel, Judy Switzer, Mary Ervie |
| Introduction of Speaker .....  | John L. Kelso                            |
|                                | Superintendent of Schools                |
| Address .....                  | Professor H. B. Tate                     |
|                                | Kirkville State Teachers College         |
| Presentation of Awards .....   | Robert C. Fessler                        |
|                                | Principal of School                      |
| Presentation of Diplomas ..... | Dale Behrman                             |
|                                | President of Board of Education          |
| Presentation of Flowers .....  | Valedictorian                            |
| Benediction .....              | Rev. John Thompson                       |
|                                | Christian Church                         |
| Recessional .....              | Mrs. Switzer                             |
|                                | "Triumphal March from Aida"              |

## Graduation

### May 19, 1966

EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES: First Row: JoAnn Divelbess, Elsie Davolt, Debbie Vobornik, Carla Griffin, Pam Standley, Brenda Burris, Mary Arbuckle, Pam Verrone. Back Row: Terry Haun, Terry Hill, Richard Krawl, Jeanette Standley, Patti Switzer, Arlene McCollum, Danny Burris, Mike Crist, Donny Morse, Lonnie McCarty.







SUCCESS IS NOT GIVEN; IT IS EARNED

Class Colors: Royal Blue and Gold

Class Flower: White Rose

HONOR STUDENTS



## Honor Students



Betty Twitchel



Vicki Hill



Stanley Casady



Judy Switzer

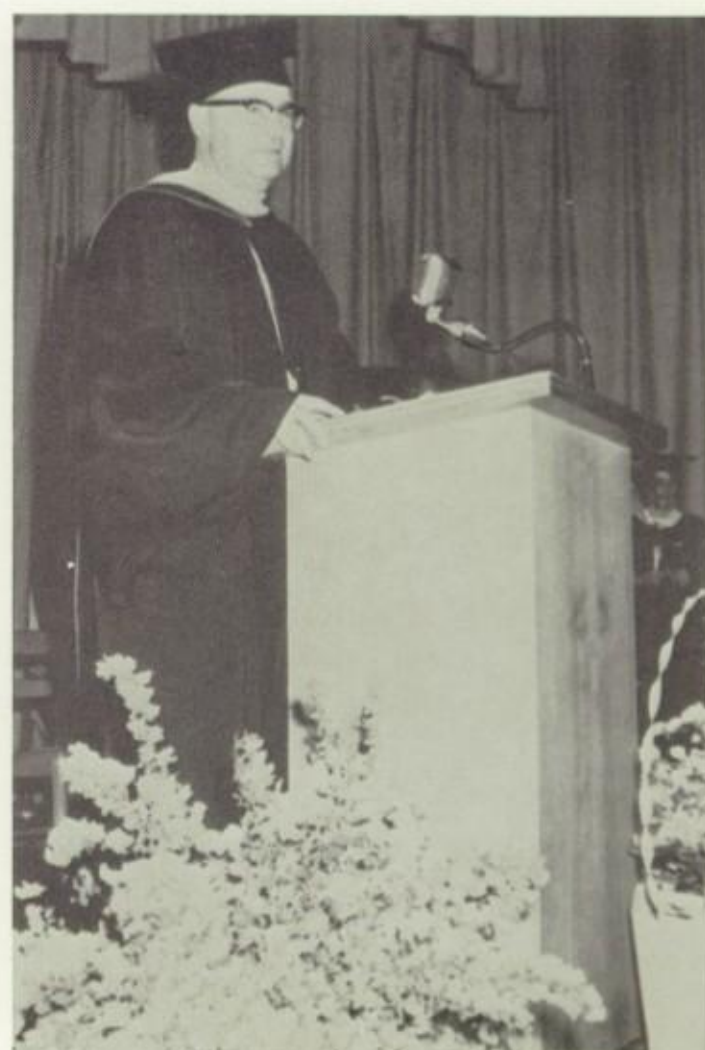


Rama Head

THE REV. JOHN PAUL THOMPSON delivered the Sermon at Baccalaureate.



THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS was given by Professor H. B. Tate.







THIS IS THE WAY the Freshman Class of Bucklin R-II looked on the day of Freshman Initiation. Don't they look like an intelligent group?

## Accepted at Last Freshman Initiation

THIS IS WHAT YOU call a greedy senior. Come on Patti, out with the candy!



The way the Freshmen looked forward to September 9, 1966, you would have thought it was their day of doom. The Seniors had given them stern warnings about what to expect if they didn't behave exactly to a "T."

Seniors always expect the Freshmen to cater to their every whim--perform stunts, say the tongue twister, clean up after them, and above all provide candy, Candy, CANDY.

"I'LL PUT \$5.00 on Tim Ware." How about you? Who do you think will win the wheelbarrow race?







THESE LOVELY MODELS Judy, Joan, and Beverly Liebhart model the look-alike dresses made by the eldest sister, Joan.

## Style Show May 5, 1966



RECEIVING THE ANNUAL Betty Crocker Home-maker Award from Mrs. Turner is Vicki Hill.

## "Queen for a Day"

Presented by

Home Economics Department

MANY SAD, TEAR-jerking stories were heard from these ladies who were competing for the title, "Queen for a Day!"



"I NOW CROWN you Queen for a Day!" says Marilyn Hayes to Delma Carter.







THIS IS HOW THE STUDENT BODY and Faculty members watch many of the selected assemblies that appear in our school gymnasium.

## Adding Spice to the Regular Routine

### Assemblies - Fun for One and All

"PUMP, RANDY, WE'LL hit oil in a minute," says Stevie Willsie to Randy Payne.



I WANT YOU TO MEET your son, Micki Jr., Micki. Shake hands and be friends.







THE ACT OF COSTUME changing performed by Toby and Dot, seem to amuse the grade school pupils as well as the high school students and faculty.



TIM WARE proved an able assistant to Mr. Snyder when he performed with his chimpanzees.



WHO IS MORE SCARED, Elsie Davolt or the little creature she is holding? (Micki Jr.)

As our educational system strives to provide a variety of opportunities for the student body, a varied program of assemblies is planned. These programs are geared to serve the interests of many, as they range from entertainment to cultural and educational.

Toby and Dot, professional actors, gave us some tricks-of-the-trade when it comes to make-up, costuming, and acting.

The students had more laughs and more fun than a barrel of monkeys when Merle Snyder came

to us with his chimpanzees, Micki and Micki, Jr.

Magicians are always popular with young people, so these were included in our programs. The Missouri State Highway Patrol sent us Sergeant Usher with tips on safety. The Marceline band gave a nice concert for us. A selection of movies were shown and appreciated.

When everything is considered, it is felt that these assemblies provide worthwhile relapses from classroom studies.

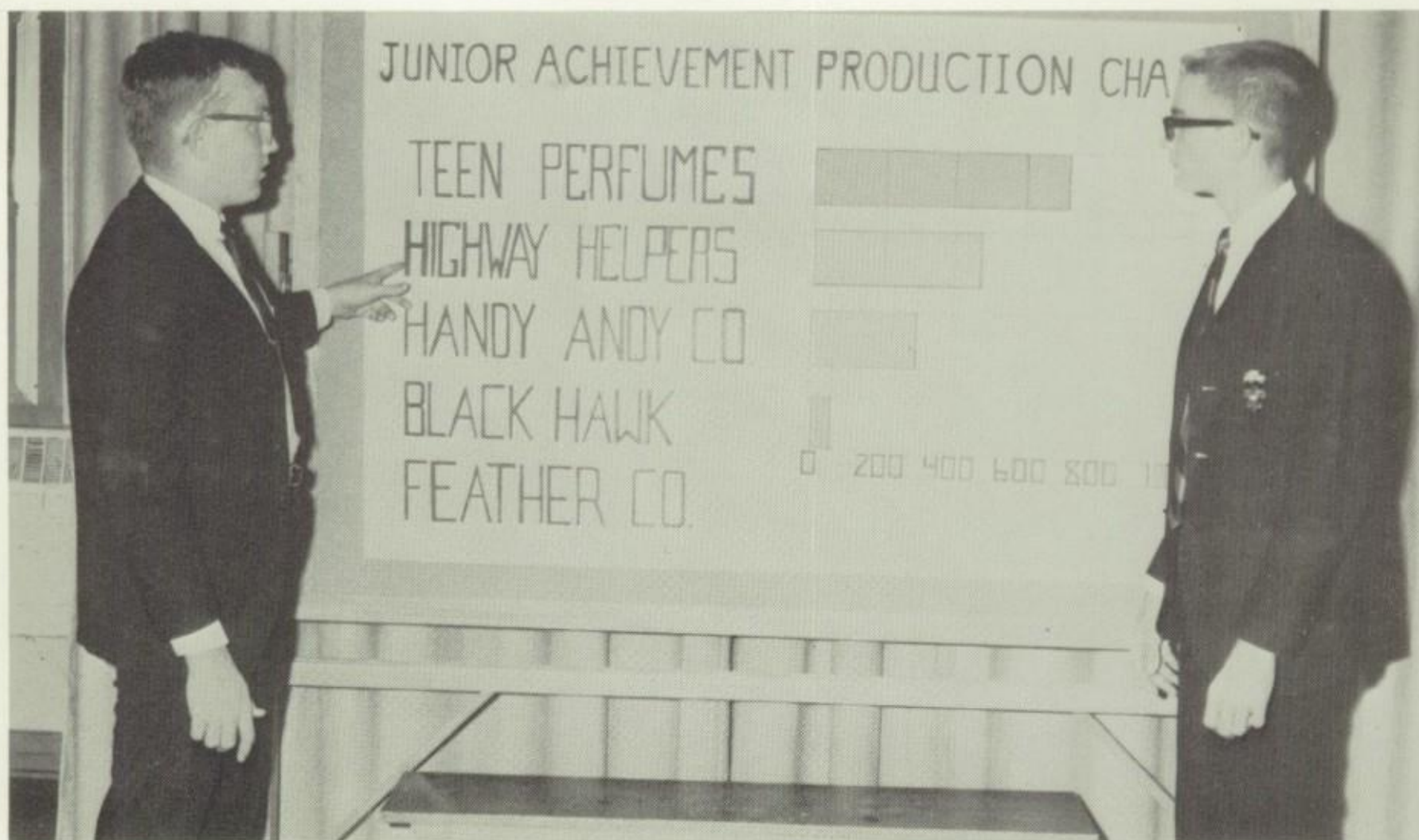
GARY HOLMLUND and KENT NICKERSON assist "Mr. Magician" and his wife in the trunk trick.



"HEY, I'M ALL TIED UP," says Gary King as the magic man proves that his stunt works.







THERE SEEMS TO BE a disagreement on the rates of the Production Chart. Battling this out is Gary Davolt and Kent Nickerson.

## "The Very Opposite Sex"

### Junior Play

October 21, 1966

SAMPLING PERFUME is Patty Eshmont, while Don Selmon looks on with astonishment.



#### Cast of Characters

|                |                |
|----------------|----------------|
| Binky Blaine   | Sharon Davis   |
| Roger Andrews  | Don Selmon     |
| Janet Andrews  | Jackie Curry   |
| Mabes          | Susan Anderson |
| Sooky Andrews  | Janet McCarty  |
| Emma Schultz   | Betty Jo Gall  |
| Vera Voit      | Bonita Stanley |
| Sally          | Betty Anderson |
| Jim McGovern   | Kent Nickerson |
| Horse          | Bobby Twitchel |
| Phil           | Gary Davolt    |
| Rosey          | Pam Watson     |
| Joey           | Ken Sappington |
| Nancy          | Donna Burnett  |
| Miss Adrian    | Patty Eshmont  |
| Mrs. Joyce     | Barbara Davis  |
| Phil's Father  | Randy Jackson  |
| Rosey's Father | Martin Kitchen |
| Sally's Mother | Mona Lovett    |
| Vera's Mother  | Brenda Jones   |
| Mr. Blaine     | Gary Holmlund  |
| Police Officer | John Casady    |
| Pat Green      | Joyce Cupp     |





BETTY ANDERSON, Patty Eshmont, and Barbara Davis examine the perfume display.

Binky Blaine has recently transferred to Central High as a senior and in the hope of winning friends--and winning Roger--she joins Junior Achievement. There, in addition to Roger, she meets Emma, the chemistry brain. Emma is inventing a high-protein breakfast food based on turkey feathers! And there's Joey, who hopes to make a fortune with road signals which flash: "Thank you!" or "Road Hog" or "Drop Dead" to the passing motorist.

Roger is working very hard for a scholarship so that he can go to college, and Binky (who doesn't need it except to impress Roger) competes with him for the scholarship.

TO HER DISMAY, Bobby Twitchel flirts with Betty Jo Gall in a touching scene.



JANET McCARTY and Susan Anderson find hiding in the park isn't so bad when they have "pup" to accompany them.

Mingled with the romance is the fun and excitement of "junior business" as engaged in by an intriguing group of teenagers in a series of forceful and funny climaxes.

CHECKING ON how her salesmen are doing, Betty Anderson shows that much can be accomplished over the phone.







"BINGO, BINGO, BINGO, I want Miss Cannon's yo-yo!!" says Mr. Meeks as he makes his first Bingo for the evening.

## Introducing the Christmas Season High School Party

December 22, 1966

"LET'S PRETEND we're dancing," says Don Selmon to Bonita Stanley, "and see how many we can fool!"

THESE GIRLS are supposed to be passing out the gifts, but from all indications, we think they are PEEKING.







ALWAYS THE BEST TIME of any party! The snack time. At least that's what the student body of old Bucklin High thinks.

The Student Council held the annual Christmas Party on December 22, 1966, in the beautifully decorated school gymnasium. The decorations consisted of red and white crepe paper that was used to make a false ceiling, and to divide the gym in half.

Entertainment for the evening included several activities--dancing, ping-pong, bingo, and card playing. To the Freshmen, the Christmas Party was new; the Sophomores and Juniors accepted and enjoyed it; but the Seniors became nostalgic as they also remembered the previous ones they had enjoyed.

Refreshments were served at 9:00 by the faculty. They served ham sandwiches, potato chips, an ice cream slice, decorated cupcakes, pop, and a candy treat.

When the time came for the distribution of the gifts, all of the students assembled near the brightly lighted tree. The members of each class had drawn names, and the suspense was nearly unbearable until the gifts were exchanged and opened.



COULD THIS be OUR Faculty? Really fellows, you're not cheating Mrs. Dowell, are you?



"WHERE'S THE MISTLETOE?" says Herman Almond to Linda Jackson. Could it be that Randy and Betty Jo just won't let anyone else under it?





CHAMPION of advertising section - Sharon Davis.



ARE YOU SURE that's right?" Pat Carter says to Karen Jackson as they come across a snag.



"I WISH WE COULD get something accomplished," remarks Becky Carter to Don Selmon.

SOME TERRIBLE PROBLEM confronts Pam Hughes as she receives absolutely no help from Barbara Davis.



HARD AT WORK on the division pages. Barbara Neff tries to meet the deadline.

## Staff

Co-editor ..... Pat Carter, Karen Jackson  
 Business Manager ..... Jan Carter  
 Work of School ... Karen Jackson, Donna Burnett  
                                          Rickie Greer  
 Classes ..... Mary Jo Dean, Roy Riddle  
                                          Martin Kitchen  
 Spring Activities ... Pat Carter, Ken Sappington  
 Activities and Organizations ..... Diana Burnett  
                                          Jan Carter, Barbara Davis  
 Music ..... Bonita Stanley, Becky Carter  
 Sports ..... Terry Finney, Don Selmon  
 Student Life ..... Pam Hughes, Daryl Cohoon  
 Division Pages ..... Barbara Neff, Daryl Cohoon  
 Advertising ..... Herman Almond, Sharon Davis  
 Ad Solicitor ..... Karen Jackson, Pat Carter  
                                          Sharon Davis, Bonita Stanley  
                                          Herman Almond, Don Selmon  
 Index and Thanks ..... Martin Kitchen  
 Advisor ..... Mrs. Kelso





SEATED: Diana Burnett, Karen Jackson, Pat Carter, Jan Carter, Mary Jo Dean, Pam Hughes, Barbara Neff.  
STANDING: Donna Burnett, Don Selmon, Herman Almond, Terry Finney, Sharon Davis, Bonita Stanley, Barbara Davis, Daryl Cohoon, Roy Riddle, Becky Carter, Mrs. Kelso, Rickie Greer.

## Our Goal - To Please You The Reco Staff

The sole purpose of the Reco Staff is to prepare and present a concise and comprehensive book that covers all of the events, people, and happenings during the school year. This is quite an undertaking! This involves much planning, requires a great amount of time, and a lot of cooperation from the staff members and everyone else in school.

The work of the staff is not limited to the mere assembling of the book--advertising must be solicited, subscriptions must be sold, research must be done so that a reasonably accurate book can be published, and quantities of pictures must be taken. Then, all of this material is brought together and a yearbook eventually emerges.

The staff consists of sophomores, juniors, and seniors. The members are divided into groups, each being responsible for a certain section of the book. Work is done primarily after school because this is an extracurricular activity. One goal of the 1967 staff is to achieve a high rank in the National Scholastic Press Association's criticisms. The 1966 Reco received a First Class Honor Rating.

Our desire is to produce a book that is pleasing to our advertisers, our subscribers, to the patrons of our school district, and to the Reco Staff.

SPORTING THE LATEST HAIR ROLLERS, Diana Burnett does her Reco in high fashion.







TEL-IT-AL STAFF: Jim Jackson, Sandra Watson, Judy Sevier, Pam Husted, Trudy Homan, Diana Burnett, Barbara Neff, Robert Fessler, advisor.

# Eager Readers Anticipate Monthly Publication Secretarial Practice Newspaper



|                                       |               |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| Editor .....                          | Judy Sevier   |
| Layout Editor .....                   | Diana Burnett |
| Sports Editor .....                   | Sandra Watson |
| Art Editor .....                      | Barbara Neff  |
| Grade and High School News .....      | Pam Husted    |
| Gossip, Dear Abby, Know Seniors ..... | Pam Husted    |
| Mimeographer .....                    | Jim Jackson   |
| Stencilist .....                      | Trudy Homan   |
| Advisor .....                         | Mr. Fessler   |



The Tel-it-al, our school newspaper, attempts to live up to its name by "telling it all." The staff members don't intend for any little bit of gossip to slip past them. They want to know the latest, in order to publish it so that everyone will be informed.

The Secretarial Practice class prepares the Tel-it-al, and distributes it monthly to the students who have subscribed. The staff endeavors to include articles that appeal to everyone.

These sections include news, editorials, announcements, art, gossip and humor, and the sports coverage.

Not only do the students have fun collecting the information and compiling the Tel-it-al, but they are also gaining valuable training in newspaper work.

This student publication is a popular feature of our school, as the great majority of the students practically memorize each word that is written.





WORKING BUSILY with the new books are the librarians Mary Jo Dean, Pam Hughes, and Barbara Neff. Miss Cannon and Mrs. Cordray help them.

## New Volumes Added to Shelves

To keep the library operating at a high level of usefulness may appear to some people a small task. This is far from the truth, because it takes a great deal of steady work to keep the books in proper order and available at all times.

Miss Cannon is the principal overseer of the library, but actually it takes everyone's cooperation to even partially attain the goal that we desire. Mrs. Cordray, a teacher's aide, worked in the library this year and really helped to keep this room the desirable place we would like for it to be. She was assisted by student librarians.

Each day many reading books are checked in and out, fines are collected for overdue books, shelves are cleaned, and books and magazines must be kept on the proper shelves. Occasionally some books must be catalogued, and some must be mended. Individual students seek help from the librarians when they are doing research work and need assistance with the reference materials.

Our library has really taken a turn for the better this past year as a result of the Title I government program.

## Librarians and Assistants

MAKING USE of the new facilities provided in the library are Bonita Stanley and Donna Burnett.







STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS: Standing: Terry Hill, Stanley Watson, John Casady, Karen Jackson. Seated: Gary Holmlund, Donna Burnett, Kent Nickerson, Pam Watson, and Mr. Fessler, sponsor.

## Planners of Activities for Parties

### The Student Council

RUMMAGING THROUGH a box of old crepe paper, Donna Burnett and Pam Watson hope to come up with some treasures to help decorate for the High School spring party.



The Bucklin High School Student Council sponsored several social activities this year. The Council sponsored Homecoming and Valentine activities, plus the Christmas Party, and a party in the spring to which all high school students were invited. To prepare for their events, the Student Council members had to plan, prepare, decorate, and see that everything turned out as anticipated.

The Student Council is a student government organization consisting of eight members. Four of the members were selected at an election during the spring preceding the opening of school. Then, when school opened in the fall, a representative was chosen from each high school class. The members must possess the outstanding qualities of leadership, good character, and dependability.

The purpose of the Student Council is to serve as a connecting link between the student body and faculty and administration.





BAND BOOSTER OFFICERS Mabel Main, vice-president; Marguerite Aderton, president; Onita Wolf, treasurer; Sarah Greer, secretary;

## School Activities Backed by Parents

### Band Boosters - Parent-Teacher Association

There certainly couldn't be any mystery about the name "Band Booster." It simply implies that a person is vitally interested in the progress of the school band, and is willing to devote some of his time to the furtherance of this cause.

Our school was fortunate to have several parents of band members who helped to support the band in various projects. Needed supplies in the music room are financed by this organization.

Funds were obtained by serving at community functions, by selling activity calendars, and by a comedy basketball game.

"Open Doors of Opportunity for Every Child" was the overall theme of the P.-T.A. meetings of the current year. Then, to break this down into monthly topics, we had "A Chance to Belong," "A Chance to Learn," "A Chance to Work," "A Chance to Create," "A Chance to Grow," and "A Chance to Play."

The themes were developed by lecturers sharing their thoughts with us, and by the use of visual aids. One elementary grade at each meeting shared some of their experiences in songs, skits, or choral readings.

It was felt that the theme was well carried out, and that the programs were beneficial to the parents in the school district.

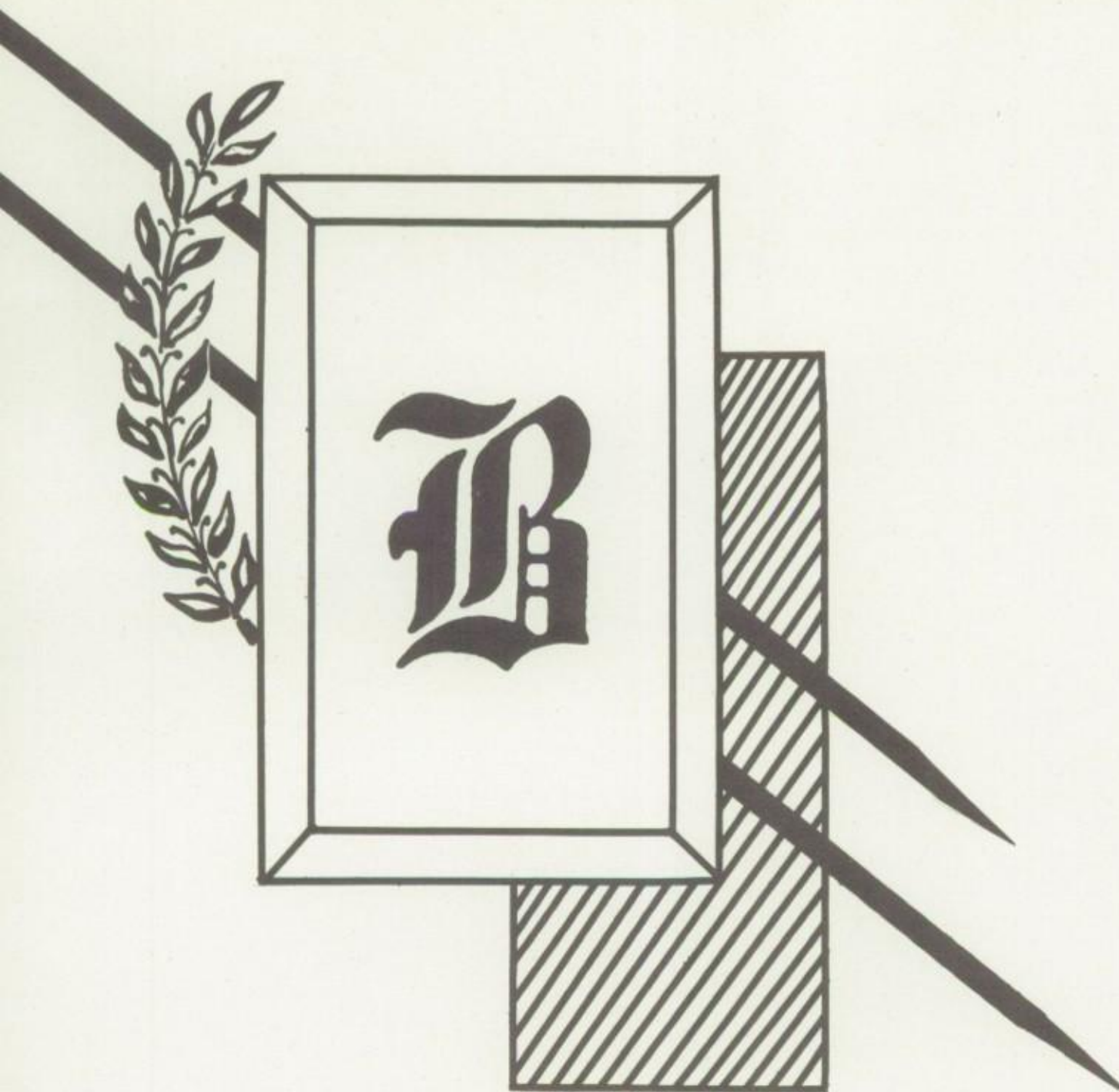
P.-T.A. OFFICERS Esther Turner, historian; Jessie Sappington, secretary; Pat Bennett, president; Pauline Curry, treasurer; Sue Davis, vice-president;











## Classes





HERMAN ALMOND  
PRESIDENT



HARVEY RILEY  
VICE-PRESIDENT



SENIORS RECEIVED the honors at Homecoming festivities when Karen Jackson and Leighton Reid were crowned after they had collected the most popularity votes.



MARY JO DEAN  
SECRETARY



PAT CARTER  
TREASURER

### Class Motto-

We Finish to Begin

### Class Colors-

White and Azure Blue

### Class Flowers-

White Rose with Azure Blue

FAMILY LIVING CLASS was the scene of many activities. Visiting specialists came to lecture and inform students. Dr. Glennon Horner gave helpful advice on topics pertaining to medicine. Ronald Belt, a lawyer and state representative, related his thoughts on legal matters.







FRONT ROW: Barbara Neff, Jannice Cash, Pam Husted, Trudy Homan, Sandy Watson, Diana Burnett, Brenda Siemens, Pam Hughes, Shirley Payne, Judy Sevier, Jan Carter, Karen Jackson, Mary Jo Dean, Pat Carter. BACK ROW: Harvey Riley, Terry Finney, Wayne Arbuckle, Steven Morse, Tommy Heaton, Herman Almond, George Hanson, Jimmie Jackson, Leighton Reid, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Bullis.

## Future Plans Are Varied

### The Senior Class of 1967

WHEN the YEARBOOKS arrive during the last few days of school, students scurry around to get as many autographs as they possibly can.

"Now we are the Seniors." We have our high school days behind us, and the memories of four years within us. We have taken part in the privileges and responsibilities handed down to us.

Our most important goal was making money for the Senior trip. Money was obtained by participating in magazine sales, ball game concession stands, the Senior Play and numerous other activities. Much of the credit we give to our sponsors, Mr. Anderson and Mr. Bullis in helping us with these activities.

With the end of our high school years almost upon us, we look ahead to the future years, but we cannot forget the reality of our past. These years made our high school days unforgettable.





# The Senior Class

VIRGIL HERMAN ALMOND

Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 2,3,4; Chorus 2; Mixed Chorus 2; Reco Staff 2,3,4; Ad Solicitor 2,3,4; Reco Frolics 2; Boys' State Representative 3; Class Play 3; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Basketball 2,3; Student Council Vice-President 1; Librarian 3; Office Keeper 3; Class President 1, 3, 4; Homecoming King Candidate 1,2,3.

ROBERT WAYNE ARBUCKLE

Chorus 3; Track 4.

DIANA KAY BURNETT

Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Clarinet Trio 1,2,4; Clarinet Quartet 2,3; Twirling Majorette 1,2,3; Drum Majorette 4; Class Play 3; 60-Word Typing Pin 3; Dance Band 4; Clarinet Solo 4; Basketball 1,2; Cheerleader 3,4; Contest Typing 3; Contest Algebra 2; Girls' State Representative 3; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Tel-it-al Staff 4; Reco 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; Girls' Sextet 2; Planned Progress 1; Softball 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Academic Honors 1,2,3,4; D.A.R. Award 4; "I Dare You" Award 4; Style Show 2; Mixed Chorus 1,2.

JANICE JOY CARTER

Student Council Representative 1; Student Council Secretary 3; Basketball 1, 2,3; Reco 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Band Vice-President 4; Girls' Sextet 2; Reco Frolics 2; Reco Business Manager 4; Planned Progress Secretary 1; Pep Club 1,2; Class Plays 3,4; Contest Typing 3; Style Show 1,4; Academic Honors 2,3,4; 50-Word Typing Pin 3; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Track 1; Office Keeper 1; Mixed Chorus 1,2.

PATRICIA ANN CARTER

Class Treasurer 1,3; Band Secretary 3; Band President 4; Reco Co-Editor 4; Basketball Capt. 4; Planned Progress 1; Pep Club 1,2; Class Plays 3,4; Trumpet Trio 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Basketball 2,3,4; Softball 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Academic Honors 1,2,3,4; Ad Solicitor 2,3,4; Girls' Trio 4; Reco Frolics 2; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Dance Band 2,4; Style Show 1,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2.

JANNICE LAURINE CASH

Junior Play Ticket Salesman 3; Office Keeper 2; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2; F.H.A. 1; Style Show 1,4; Academic Honors 4.





# The Senior Class

MARY JO DEAN

Chorus 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2,4; Track 1; Softball 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Reco 2,3,4; Reco Frolics 2; Class Secretary 1,2,3; Student Council Representative 2; Girls' State Representative 3; Valentine Sweetheart 1; Valentine Sweetheart Candidate 2; Class Plays 3,4; Academic Honors 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Librarian 4; Style Show 1,4.

TERRY LEE FINNEY

Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3; Chorus 2,3; Reco Staff 2,3,4; Class Officer 2; Boys' State Representative 3; Class Plays 2,3; Student Manager 2; Pep Club 2,3; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Reco Frolics 2; "I Dare You" Award 4.

GEORGE HENRY HANSON

Band 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2; Baseball 1; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Dance Band 4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,2; Class Plays 3,4.

TOMMY LEE HEATON

Band 1,2,3,4; Track Manager 3; Jr. High Basketball Manager 4; Basketball 4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Class Play 3; Chorus 2,4; Mixed Chorus 4.

TRUDY J. HOMAN

Softball 3,4; Tel-it-al Staff 4; Chorus 3; Magazine Sales Certificate 4.

PAMELLA KAY HUGHES

Cheerleader 1,2,3; Girls' Basketball Manager 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 1,4; Reco Staff 2,3,4; Reco Frolics 2; Librarian Staff 1,4; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Prompter Junior Play 3; Academic Honors 1,4.



# The Senior Class

PAMELA ELLEN HUSTED

Planned Progress Captain 1; Cheerleader 2; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3; Tel-it-al Staff 4; Track 1,3; Homecoming Queen Candidate 1,2; Mixed Chorus 1,2,4; Vocal Solo 1,3,4; Class Plays 3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3; Usher at Graduation 3; Style Show 2,4; Band Officer 3; Pep Club 1; Girls' Sextet 2; Modern Woodman Oration Contest 2.

JAMES MICHAEL JACKSON

Chorus 1,2,3; Basketball 1; Class Treasurer 2; Baseball 2; Class Plays 3,4; Track 2,3,4; Office Keeper 2; Pep Club 3; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Honorary Escort 3; Tel-it-al Staff 4.

KAREN ANN JACKSON

Track 1; Softball 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Mixed Chorus 1,2; Twirling Majorette 1; Drum Majorette 2,3; Girls' Trio 4; Girls' Sextet 2; Basketball Co-Capt. 4; 50-Word Typing Pin 3; Homecoming Queen 4; Valentine Sweetheart 4; Homecoming Candidate 3; Valentine Candidate 3; Academic Honors 2,3; Honorary Escort 3; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Band Librarian 3; Class Vice-President 3; Student Council Member 4; Ad Solicitor 2,3,4; Reco Frolics 2; Class Plays 3,4; Planned Progress 1; Reco Co-Editor 4; Pep Club 2; Style Show 1,4.

STEVEN ROGER MORSE

Track 3,4; Chorus 2,3.

BARBARA ANN NEFF

Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Reco Staff 2,3,4; Art Editor Tel-it-al 4; Librarian 3,4; Reco Frolics 2; F.H.A. 1; "Betty Crocker" Award 4; 50-Word Typing Pin 3; Junior Play Prompter 3; Academic Honors 1,2,3,4; Style Show 1; Magazine Sales Certificate 4.

SHIRLEY VIRLEE PAYNE

Chorus 1,2,3; Mixed Chorus 1,2; F.H.A. 1; Office Keeper 4; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Play Prompter 3; Student Manager 3,4.





# The Senior Class

LEIGHTON VICTOR REID

Basketball 3,4; Baseball 4; Track 3; Band 2,3,4; Class Plays 3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Mixed Chorus 4; Pep Club 3; Pep Band 2,3,4; Dance Band 4; Homecoming King 4; Sweetheart Escort 4.

HARVEY RILEY

Class Vice-President 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3; Chorus 4; Class Plays 3,4; First Place Gold Medal Conference Track Meet 3.

JUDY KAY SEVIER

Academic Honors 1,2,3; Tel-it-al Editor 4; Style Show 2,4; Class Play 4; Majorette 1,2,3; Cheerleader 1,2,3; Chorus 1,2,3; Mixed Chorus 1,2; Librarian 1,2,3; Softball 1; Reco 2,3; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Junior Play Ticket Salesman 3; Track 2; Reco Frolics 2.

BRENDA CAROL SIEMENS

Basketball 1,2,3; Softball 2; Class Plays 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3; Mixed Chorus 1; Pep Club 2,3; Magazine Sales Certificate 4; Track 1; Reco Frolics 2.

SHORTHAND CLASS REQUIRES a lot of work, but Jan Carter, Judy Sevier, and Diana Burnett find it to be a fascinating study.

SANDRA LEE WATSON

Softball 4; Basketball 3; Student Council Vice-President 3; Tel-it-al Staff 4; Chorus 3; Class Plays 3,4; Academic Honors 3; Style Show 4.







DON SELMON  
PRESIDENT



BARBARA DAVIS  
VICE-PRESIDENT



BONITA STANLEY  
SECRETARY



KENT NICKERSON  
TREASURER

## Backward Never Forward Ever - The Junior Class

The Junior Class is one of the mightiest classes yet, as they take their places as upperclassmen. But heavier responsibilities, and a full schedule were found by most of them.

Big plans are underway for a successful Junior-Senior Prom and Banquet. The Juniors are attempting to acquire this with the help of their sponsors, Miss Cannon and Mr. Weatherington. They have performed their Junior Play "The Very Opposite Sex"; have worked at the basketball concession stands, and have tackled various other jobs.

One of the most pleasing days in the lives of the Juniors was the day they received their class rings. These will be symbols of all the pride and happiness experienced by them as a class.

An exciting and historic day was spent in Trenton, Missouri, on March 2, 1966, when the Juniors went to the airport to meet Governor Warren Hearnes' plane, and learn plans for the development of this area of Missouri.



STYLE SHOW MODELS were Betty and Pam.

HERFF JONES representative shows a wide selection of rings.



"THE VERY OPPOSITE SEX" depicts typical teenagers.





# The Junior Class

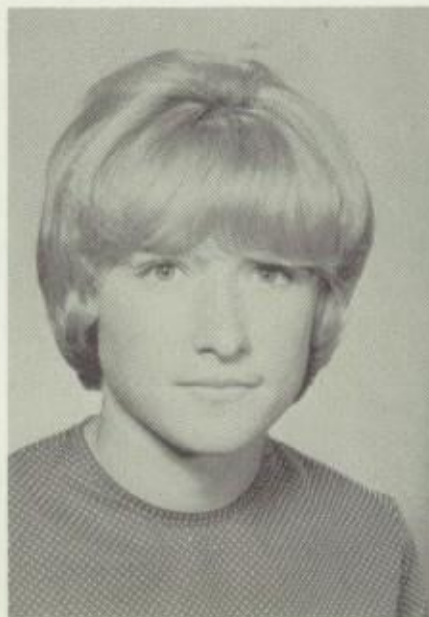
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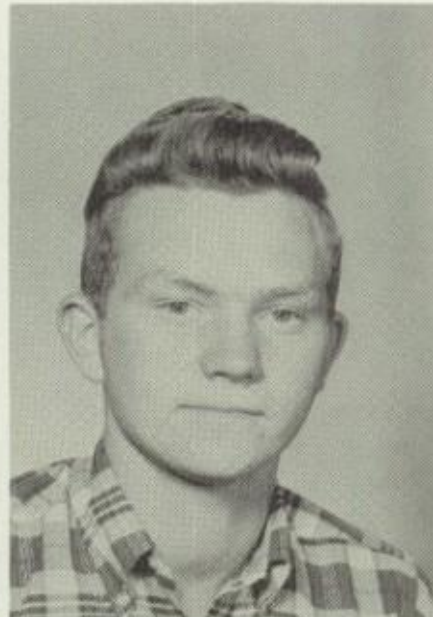




# The Junior Class



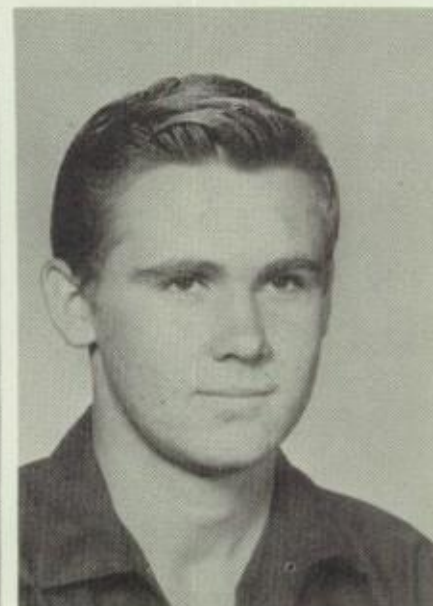
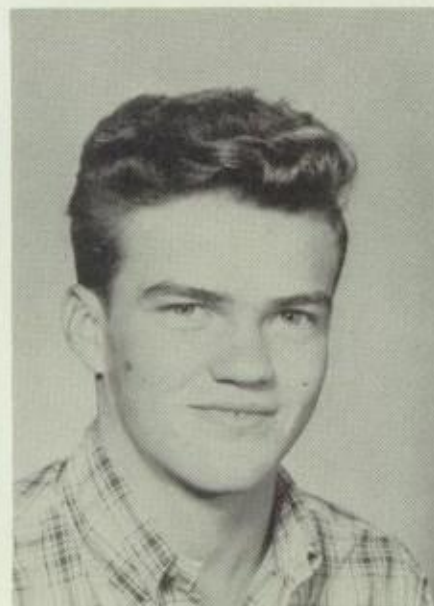
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LOVETT, MONA



McCARTY, JANET  
SAPPINGTON, KEN  
THOMPSON, DANNY



TWITCHEL, BOB  
WALKER, CARL  
WATSON, PAM



## The Junior Class



WEST, RANDAL



FROM the EXPRESSION on their faces, Junior Achievement must be working just fine for Gary Davolt and Pam Watson.

HAVING PARTS in a class play is a great experience for high schoolers. Joyce Cupp and Jackie Curry have a chat on the stage.



EVIDENTLY Patty Eshmont doesn't approve of the hat Janet McCarty wore to add a little fun and liven up activities.







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PRESIDENT



STANLEY WATSON  
VICE-PRESIDENT



DARYL COHOON  
SECRETARY



BECKY CARTER  
TREASURER

## We're Slowly Progressing The Sophomore Class

The Sophomores found that their second year in high school was much easier than the first. They were in the swing of things and they knew what to expect.

The year as a whole was very busy and exciting. They have had bake sales and work days in which they washed cars, and worked on various other odd jobs. The class also sold candy in record-breaking time, and worked at the concession stands at several ball games.

The group also enjoyed a class party. They would like to thank their sponsors, Mrs. Kelso and Mrs. Turner, in helping them in all of the activities that they attempted.

DONATIONS on a CAKE were always acceptable because the class needed money desperately.



TWO-POINT GOALS made Judy Anderson a very good player on our school's team.

COULD THERE BE a difference of opinion when Roy Riddle attempts to slide into base?





# The Sophomore Class

ANDERSON, JUDY  
BAILEY, STEVE



COULSON, SHARLENE  
JACKSON, LINDA  
KING, STEVIE



KITCHEN, JOAN  
LANE, CHARLOTTE  
LIEBHART, JUDY



PAYNE, RANDY  
RICHARDSON, RICK  
RIDDLE, ROY







SALTSIDER, SHIRLEY  
SLATER, CHARLES

# The Sophomore Class



SIEMENS, DONNA  
SWITZER, JOYCE  
WARE, DEBBE

OUR CLASS BOASTED of a good representation on the girls' basketball team. Donna Siemens tries for a two-point goal with Linda Jackson and Debbie Ware waiting in readiness to help.



WORKING in the LUNCH STAND at the ball games was one method of swelling the class treasury. Randy Payne serves fellow sophomore, Rickie Greer, and two seniors, Jan Carter and Sandy Watson.





BEVERLY DAVIS  
PRESIDENT



DEBBIE VOBORNIK  
VICE-PRESIDENT



JEANETTE STANDLEY  
SECRETARY



TIM WARE  
TREASURER

## Beginning the Upward Climb The Freshman Class

When this group became freshmen, they looked ahead with doubts. Will we someday be able to take the role as seniors? But this becomes a dream and nothing more as they started to get acquainted with "high school."

Initiation Day, which proved to be as exciting to the Freshmen as it did to the rest of the student body, was the first step in getting acquainted with "high school."

With help of their sponsors, Mr. Matlick and Mr. Meeks, they have earned an income from the concession stands and work days. As they work their way to the role of seniors, they will find that it is an interesting and challenging experience which everyone will enjoy.

PROPOSING to a girl is GREAT fun!



TRANSFERRING a life saver--IMPOSSIBLE!

LEANING on the table WON'T win the game.





# The Freshman Class



ARBUCKLE, MARY  
BURRIS, BRENDA



BURRIS, DANNY  
CASH, ROY  
DAVOLT, ELSIE



DIVELBESS, JO ANN  
GRIFFIN, CARLA  
HAUN, TERRY



HILL, TERRY  
KRAWL, RICHARD  
McCARTY, LONNIE



# The Freshman Class

MORSE, DONNY  
STANDLEY, PAMELA  
SWITZER, PATTI



VERRONE, PAM



FRESHMAN CLASS MEMBERS were photographed as they were in the process of having a class meeting. Lonnie McCarty pays his dues to Tim Ware, treasurer. Jeanette Standley, secretary, writes hurriedly to keep her notes complete, as Bev Davis, president, presides at the meeting discussing the class party.







REFRESHMENT TIME is the most popular time at any party. We hope Danny Ervie finds enough to eat.



AS THEY ARRANGE the Swedish candleholder, Joe Wheeler and Billy Payne like foreign study.



CHOSEN as the ST. LUCIA QUEEN at the Swedish celebration, Mary Overstreet prepares to treat everyone to a cookie.

## The Eighth Grade



MAKING a SWEDISH Christmas tree out of wood is no easy project, but Dennis Aderton constructed a very nice tree.



ADERTON, DENNIS  
ALMOND, RANDY  
BENNETT, JOHN  
BURNHAM, DOUGLAS



# The Eighth Grade

CASADY, PHILIP  
CASH, LEE ROY  
COULSON, MICHAEL  
ERVIE, DANNY



GREER, RONNIE  
MAIN, DEBBIE  
MAIN, LINDA  
MILLS, JOANNE



MOORSHEAD, BRENDA  
OVERSTREET, MARY  
PAYNE, BILLY  
PETTIT, BRUCE



RILEY, VICKIE  
SCHILLINGER, ANN  
SELMON, GILBERT  
SIMPSON, CHRISTY



SWITZER, JAMES  
SWITZER, RICHARD  
SWITZER, WESLEY  
WHEELER, JOE





# The Seventh Grade

ARBUCKLE, BARBARA  
CASADY, DAVID  
CARRIKER, PAMULLA  
COHOON, PATTY

ENGLISH, LUANN  
GREER, ROBIN  
HAUN, RANDY  
HILL, LARRY

HOLLOWAY, CHERYL  
HUFF, DON NELL  
HAGGIN, LINDA  
HAMM, LINDA

JACKSON, REX  
JACKSON, RICHARD  
JOBSON, GRACE ANN  
JONES, RANDELL

KRAWL, PAMELA  
MILLS, LUCILLE  
MILLS, RONNIE  
McCOLLUM, MARK





# The Seventh Grade

MOLLOY, ALLEN  
MORSE, BRAD  
MOORSHEAD, TERRY  
NICKERSON, NANCY



NOWAK, TOMMY  
PAYNE, LINDA  
SELMON, MICHAEL  
SIEMENS, TERRY



STANLEY, KAREN  
VERRONE, BRENDA  
WARE, RICHARD  
WARE, RITCHIE



TO ADD a DEGREE of religious emphasis to the Christmas season, the students constructed a stained glass window showing the Nativity Scene.

YOUNGSTERS WOULDN'T MIND to have a "coffee break" every day, but they are allowed this privilege only on special occasions, such as Halloween.

WHISENAND, DONNA







ALMOND, GEORGE  
CASH, BRENDA  
CATHEY, ROGER  
DOWELL, BRUCE



GALL, JAMES  
GODDARD, CARLA  
HAMM, KAY  
HERRIMAN, MARTIN



## The Sixth Grade

LIEBHART, ROGER BILL  
MAIN, JERRY LYNN  
MAIN, THOMAS



MOLLOY, KARLA  
OLSON, DAVID  
RILEY, DONNA  
ROSSON, MARILYN



SAPPINGTON, JOY  
SCIFERS, JOHN LESLIE  
STURGUESS, PAMELA  
SWITZER, BEVERLY



SWITZER, FLOY, JR.  
WHEELER, MARK  
WHISENAND, ANITA  
WILLSIE, GAYLA



WITT, NANCY  
WOLF, SCARLETT



AS a PART of our health program, Roger Cathey submits to Dr. Bunton's dental exam.



## The Sixth Grade

ELABORATE PLANS were made by the sixth graders for their Valentine Party. Creative and unusual ideas were expressed in the making of the individual boxes.







# The Fifth Grade

CUSTOMARY TRADITION is for the Fifth Graders to sing familiar songs of the season as they trim the Christmas tree.



UNUSUAL VALENTINE BOXES were displayed by Jonathan Coulson, Jeanette Saltsider, and Mary Beth Harrington. The competition was keen for the outstanding boxes.



ANDERS, MARTIN  
CLARK, BERT  
COULSON, JONATHAN



DE GEARE, MICHAEL  
GRIFFIN, DOROTHY  
HAGGIN, JANELLE  
HALL, CALVIN



HARRINGTON, MARY BETH  
HILL, EVA  
HUFF, JOHN  
JENNINGS, HAROLD



JENNINGS, MELODIE  
JOBSON, KATHRYN  
JOHNSON, DEBORAH  
KITCHEN, ANDRIA



## The Fifth Grade

LOZUAWAY, CAROL  
MILLS, DALE  
NOAH, GREGORY



SALTSIDER, JEANETTE  
SELMON, ALETA  
SIEMENS, DIANE  
STANDLEY, DEAN



SWANK, SHERRY  
SWITZER, BRUCE  
WATSON, GLENN  
WITT, STEPHEN







ALMOND, JEANNE  
BEHRMAN, CINDY  
BLEVINS, CHARLOTTE  
BRIDGEWATER, DONALD



BRIGGS, TRACY  
CATHEY, DENA  
CURRY, LUCIA  
DAVIS, PATTY



## The Fourth Grade

DAVIS, WILLIAM  
EKSTROM, CLAUDEAN  
EKSTROM, NINA



ELLIOTT, JIM  
GALL, DEBRA  
JONES, RICKY  
LOVETT, SHELIA



MAIN, RANDY  
MARTIN, ALAN  
McCARTY, LINDA  
McCOLLUM, DON PAUL



# The Fourth Grade

MILLS, FRANKIE  
MYERS, DONNA  
NOAH, RHONDA  
PAYNE, DAVID



SIEMENS, TIMMY  
SIMPSON, DEBRA  
WOLF, GWEN



HALLOWEEN PARTY FUN took the form of dropping beans into the narrow mouth of a milk bottle.

TONETTE PRACTICE was a new thing in the Fourth Grade room, and the children played with gusto.



WINTERTIME calls for indoor activities, so the jigsaw puzzles are assembled with patience.







BEHRMAN, KIMBERLY  
BENNETT, JANE  
BRIDGEWATER, STEVEN  
BURNHAM, RODNEY



CORDRAY, CANDY  
CORDRAY, PAULA  
DOWELL, PAUL  
GALL, JERRY



## The Third Grade

GRIFFIN, PAMELA  
HENDERSON, NANCY  
JENKINS, JAMES LEE



JOBSON, LOIS  
JONES, RICHARD  
KING, GARY  
LIEBHART, JAN



LOZUAWAY, STANLEY  
MARTIN, ANN  
MILLS, DEAN  
MOLLOY, KIM  
MOODY, KAREN  
(Not Pictured)



RIDDLE, JANET  
ROSSON, ARLENE  
STANDLEY, JAMES  
STONE, DEBBIE



SWANK, WAYNE  
WARE, DENISE  
WHEELER, WESLEY  
WILLIAMS, KEITH



## The Third Grade

WILLSIE, STEVEN  
WITT, GREGORY



ARITHMETIC ASSIGNMENTS receive the full attention of Steven Willsie, Paula Cordray, Rodney Burnham, and Pamela Griffin as they struggle with some addition problems.





# The Second Grade

AKINS, JOE  
ALMOND, CINDY  
BRIGGS, TRENT  
CLUBINE, CHARLOTTE

COLLINS, STEPHEN  
CURRY, STUART  
DAVIS, BOBBY  
ELLIOTT, ROBERT

ERVIE, LANNA  
FITZGERALD, DALE  
FORMENTO, FARRELL  
GRIFFIN, MARY ANN

HALL, CHARLES  
HARRINGTON, BRIAN  
JENKINS, LINDA  
JENKINS, PAMELA

JUDAS, KEVIN  
LOZUAWAY, DIANA  
McCOLLUM, DENA BETH  
MILLS, DONNA





# The Second Grade

MILLS, MARTHA  
MILLS, STEVEN  
MORGAN, DEBORAH  
MOSLEY, MELANIE



NEFF, KENNETH  
NICHOLS, MYRTICE  
PETERSON, RAY  
RILEY, KATHY



RITCHIE, BRIAN  
SEVIER, ROBIN  
SHOEMAKER, JOHN ANDY  
STANFIELD, TIMMY



SWITZER, BRYAN LEE  
WHEELER, JAY



WITH THE USE of popular records, acting out songs is real fun.



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# The First Grade

BAILEY, TIMMY  
BENNETT, PHILIP  
BRIGGS, TRELLA  
CARRIKER, GREGORY

DAVIS, NANCY  
ERVIE, TRUDY  
FINNEY, BETH ANN  
GRIFFIN, JERRY

GRIFFIN, KENNETH  
HILL, ROBERT  
HOLLOWAY, MIKE  
HOSELTON, SANITA

JENKINS, RANDY  
JOBSON, BILLY  
JONES, ROGER  
JONES, TAMARA

KING, JOE  
KRAWL, DEBRA  
MILLS, CINDY  
MYERS, JOHN





# The First Grade

NOAH, BRAD  
OLSON, DOUGLAS  
RULON, GREGORY  
SIMPSON, DANNY



SWITZER, BRENN  
WARES, JUSTIN  
WILD, DEBBIE  
WILLIAMS, KURT



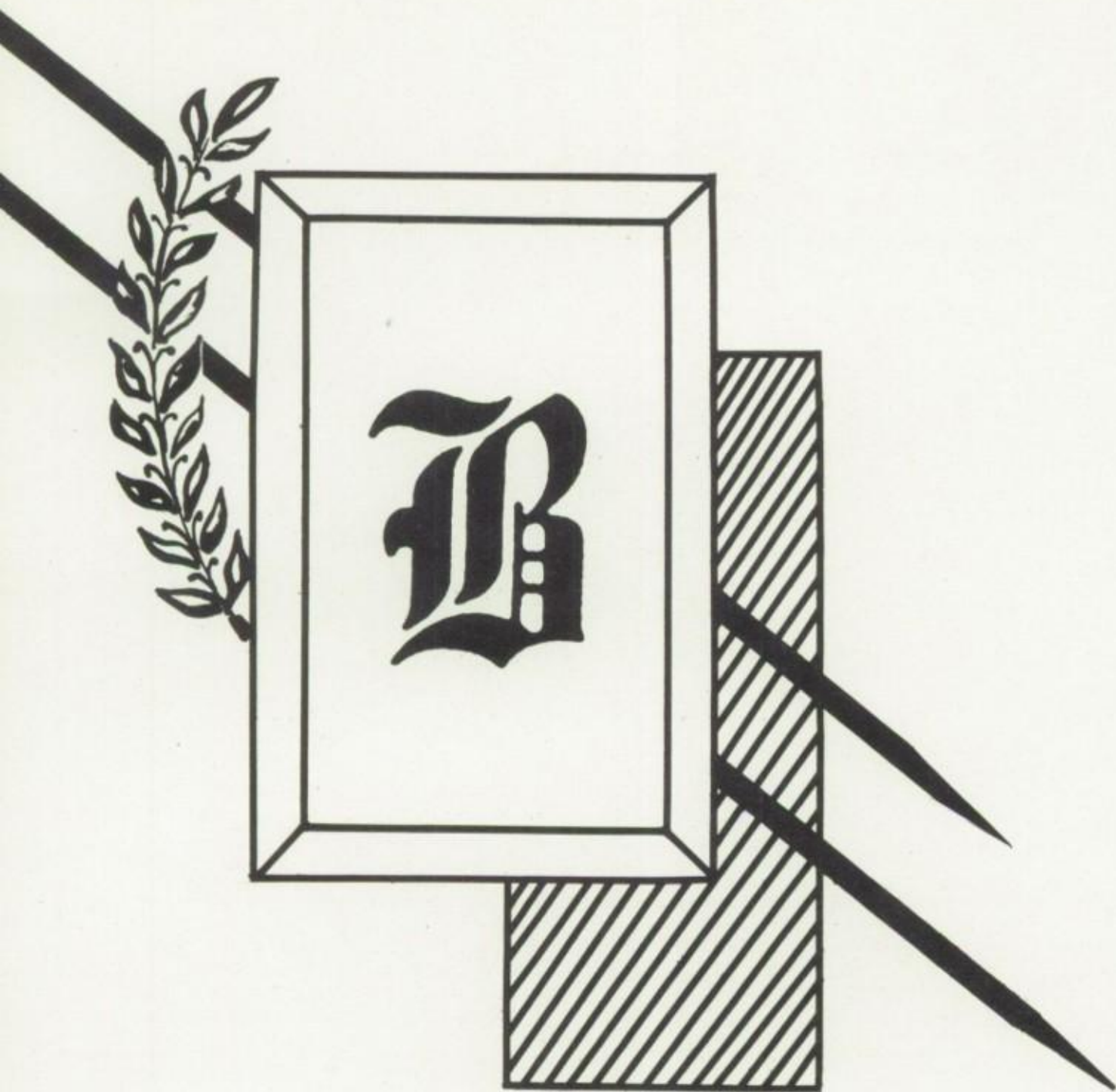
PARTY TIME is FUN TIME in the estimation of all youngsters. One of the very best parts of the First Grade Halloween Party was refreshment time of cookies and punch.











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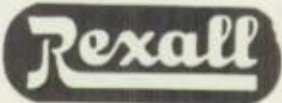


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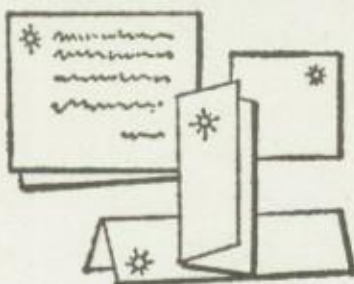
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